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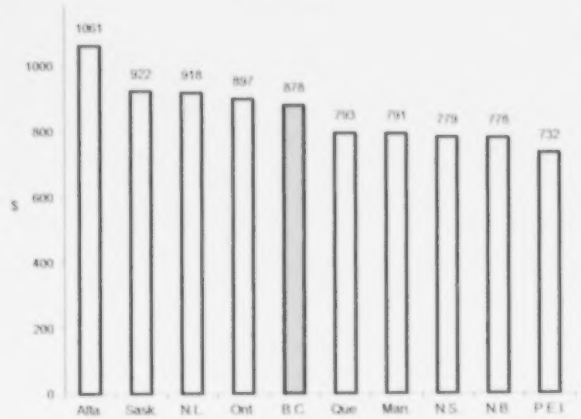
Earnings & Employment Trends ◆ October 2013

Average Weekly Wage Rate* - October 2013

by Province



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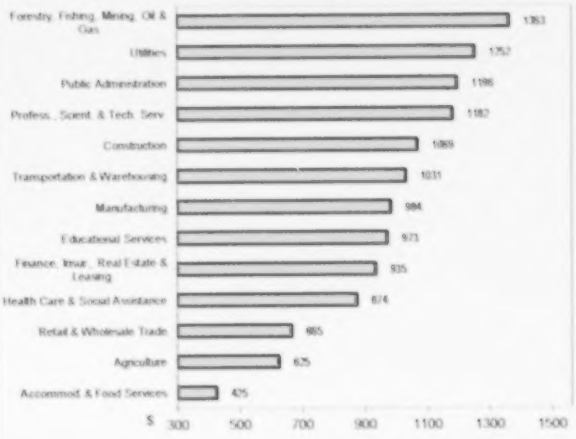
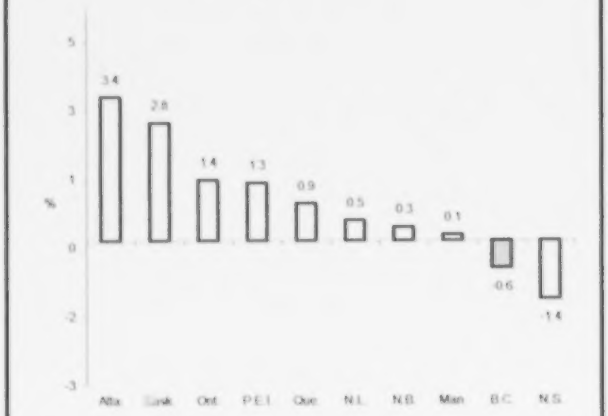


* *Latest 12 month average*

Employment Growth* - October 2013

by Province



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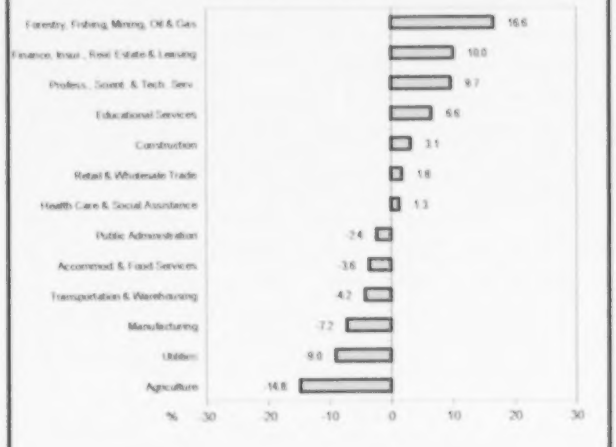

* *Month over same month previous year (unadjusted)*

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Source: Statistics Canada Labour Force Survey

1 SUMMARY TRENDS

		Consumer Price Index		Average Weekly Wage Rate				Employment Growth		Unemployment Rate	
				Current Dollars		Constant Dollars		Seasonally Adjusted		Seasonally Adjusted	
		B.C.	Canada	B.C.	Canada	B.C.	Canada	B.C.	Canada	B.C.	Canada
		% Change		% Change		% Change		% Change		(%)	
	2003	2.2	2.8	2.3	2.0	0.1	-0.8	2.3	2.4	8.0	7.6
	2004	2.0	1.8	0.4	2.6	-1.5	0.7	1.7	1.7	7.2	7.2
	2005	2.0	2.2	2.6	3.4	0.5	1.2	2.9	1.3	5.8	6.8
	2006	1.7	2.0	3.0	3.5	1.3	1.5	2.6	1.8	4.8	6.3
	2007	1.8	2.2	2.9	3.2	1.2	1.0	3.5	2.4	4.3	6.0
	2008	2.1	2.3	4.1	4.2	2.0	1.8	2.0	1.7	4.6	6.1
	2009	0.0	0.3	2.6	2.8	2.6	2.5	-2.1	-1.6	7.7	8.3
	2010	1.3	1.8	3.1	2.1	1.8	0.2	1.7	1.4	7.6	8.0
	2011	2.4	2.9	1.8	2.4	-0.6	-0.5	0.8	1.6	7.5	7.4
	2012	1.1	1.5	2.0	3.2	0.9	1.6	1.7	1.2	6.7	7.2
2012	Jan	1.7	2.5	2.8	2.4	1.1	-0.1	1.7	0.7	7.0	7.5
	Feb	1.7	2.6	3.8	2.8	2.0	0.1	1.9	0.7	7.0	7.4
	Mar	1.6	1.9	3.7	2.7	2.1	0.8	1.6	1.2	7.0	7.2
	Apr	1.6	2.0	2.0	2.5	0.3	0.5	2.1	1.3	6.3	7.3
	May	1.3	1.2	0.5	3.1	-0.7	1.8	1.9	1.2	7.3	7.3
	Jun	1.5	1.5	1.3	3.5	-0.1	1.9	2.3	1.1	6.6	7.2
	Jul	1.1	1.3	1.7	4.0	0.5	2.7	1.5	0.8	6.9	7.3
	Aug	1.0	1.2	1.3	4.1	0.2	2.8	2.3	1.0	6.6	7.3
	Sep	0.7	1.2	1.8	3.7	1.1	2.5	1.3	1.1	6.9	7.3
	Oct	0.5	1.2	2.7	4.1	2.2	2.9	1.2	1.3	6.6	7.4
	Nov	0.1	0.8	1.4	2.7	1.3	1.8	1.1	1.7	6.7	7.2
	Dec	0.4	0.8	1.5	2.3	1.1	1.4	0.8	1.8	6.4	7.1
2013	Jan	0.3	0.5	3.4	2.3	3.2	1.8	0.1	1.6	6.3	7.0
	Feb	0.9	1.2	1.9	1.9	0.9	0.7	0.7	1.9	6.3	7.0
	Mar	0.5	1.0	1.1	2.2	0.6	1.2	0.1	1.2	7.0	7.2
	Apr	-0.8	0.4	3.9	3.0	4.8	2.6	-0.3	0.9	6.4	7.2
	May	-0.6	0.7	4.7	2.3	5.4	1.5	-0.2	1.4	6.8	7.1
	Jun	-0.5	1.2	2.2	2.2	2.7	1.1	-0.1	1.4	6.3	7.1
	Jul	0.0	1.3	4.6	1.7	4.6	0.4	0.1	1.3	6.7	7.2
	Aug	-0.1	1.1	4.4	1.6	4.5	0.5	-0.3	1.4	6.6	7.1
	Sep	0.0	1.1	3.7	1.8	3.7	0.7	-0.7	1.2	6.7	6.9
	Oct	-	-	3.1	1.9	-	-	-0.5	1.2	6.5	6.9
	Nov										
	Dec										

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2.1 PROVINCIAL COMPARISON - AVERAGE WEEKLY WAGE RATE

	Canada		B.C.		Alberta		Sask.		Manitoba		Ontario		Quebec		N.B.		N.S.		P.E.I.		N.L.	
	$	% Chg	$	% Chg	$	% Chg	$	% Chg	$	% Chg	$	% Chg	$	% Chg	$	% Chg	$	% Chg	$	% Chg	$	% Chg
2003	662.79		684.22		688.09		605.87		588.88		701.95		618.92		562.09		574.47		538.47		591.51	
2004	679.87	2.6	687.15	0.4	704.77	2.4	627.10	3.5	613.56	4.2	720.50	2.6	641.18	3.6	573.83	2.1	589.32	2.6	562.45	4.5	590.89	-0.1
2005	703.26	3.4	704.71	2.6	758.62	7.6	642.60	2.5	625.85	2.0	743.93	3.3	656.31	2.4	591.43	3.1	608.73	3.3	561.53	-0.2	618.34	4.6
2006	727.59	3.5	725.80	3.0	814.44	7.4	677.57	5.4	641.12	2.4	766.16	3.0	671.59	2.3	611.28	3.4	619.22	1.7	583.95	4.0	643.89	4.1
2007	750.83	3.2	747.06	2.9	861.70	5.8	708.41	4.6	674.21	5.2	784.58	2.4	686.53	2.2	639.91	4.7	653.55	5.5	596.86	2.2	674.78	4.8
2008	782.31	4.2	777.88	4.1	904.77	5.0	762.94	7.7	704.88	4.5	814.88	3.9	710.11	3.4	671.87	5.0	674.67	3.2	632.48	6.0	734.12	8.8
2009	803.93	2.8	797.85	2.6	932.18	3.0	800.06	4.9	724.28	2.8	830.86	2.0	737.05	3.8	702.37	4.5	707.45	4.9	654.53	3.5	755.19	2.9
2010	820.65	2.1	822.81	3.1	947.21	1.6	835.25	4.4	744.48	2.8	848.00	2.1	745.08	1.1	718.43	2.3	732.30	3.5	688.81	5.2	791.63	4.8
2011	840.07	2.4	837.37	1.8	969.36	2.3	857.94	2.7	764.41	2.7	869.28	2.5	759.99	2.0	729.98	1.6	746.18	1.9	711.97	3.4	832.38	5.1
2012	866.62	3.2	854.34	2.0	1,022.59	5.5	904.46	5.4	779.11	1.9	888.48	2.2	786.50	3.5	752.62	3.1	769.15	3.1	733.14	3.0	894.13	7.4
2012 Jan	855.15	2.4	851.91	2.8	1,000.43	4.5	869.20	3.8	768.86	0.2	875.95	1.0	775.45	2.3	744.56	1.1	760.72	3.5	730.36	4.7	906.43	12.5
Feb	855.69	2.8	860.57	3.8	1,000.25	4.5	875.94	3.2	763.19	0.4	877.91	1.7	771.01	2.6	747.29	2.1	760.11	1.2	721.93	4.1	895.99	11.1
Mar	859.73	2.7	858.29	3.7	994.71	4.6	873.40	3.4	770.17	2.5	884.65	1.2	778.67	2.8	757.95	3.8	772.83	3.4	714.92	0.7	904.29	11.9
Apr	859.11	2.5	844.42	2.0	990.23	4.8	881.63	4.2	769.79	1.1	885.88	0.7	783.75	4.1	756.87	3.3	783.31	6.2	720.64	1.0	887.63	8.8
May	863.53	3.1	836.13	0.5	996.32	2.8	877.26	3.3	775.22	2.2	900.05	3.1	785.37	4.3	732.34	2.3	775.64	3.0	734.14	5.2	881.71	10.7
Jun	863.37	3.5	850.70	1.3	1,013.69	4.7	900.71	5.7	778.87	2.3	888.76	2.9	784.18	4.5	742.13	3.2	769.23	3.4	745.42	6.5	869.10	6.8
Jul	867.33	4.0	848.01	1.7	1,020.14	6.5	914.95	6.0	789.16	3.9	892.27	3.1	788.93	5.1	748.27	3.4	769.37	4.0	724.22	2.6	874.31	7.5
Aug	874.01	4.1	850.66	1.3	1,042.53	7.4	929.28	8.2	788.54	3.1	893.78	3.4	798.13	4.3	752.47	3.3	763.83	1.6	741.35	5.0	891.08	6.7
Sep	876.66	3.7	858.69	1.8	1,050.84	6.8	940.94	7.6	785.82	2.2	895.16	2.9	794.70	3.7	751.84	2.9	773.69	3.1	756.93	5.6	907.09	5.0
Oct	876.54	4.1	865.53	2.7	1,050.02	6.7	937.83	7.3	794.06	3.4	894.05	3.7	792.00	3.6	753.73	3.3	772.32	3.7	747.25	3.4	902.89	3.1
Nov	874.04	2.7	859.57	1.4	1,055.11	6.4	929.10	5.6	781.57	0.9	885.94	1.6	795.25	2.2	779.06	5.6	767.83	3.3	728.01	-0.6	905.60	4.3
Dec	873.15	2.3	868.09	1.5	1,053.43	6.1	920.81	6.3	782.92	0.8	886.71	1.1	788.69	2.2	767.29	3.2	760.72	0.8	727.83	-2.6	906.85	2.3
2013 Jan	874.98	2.3	881.18	3.4	1,070.29	7.0	920.27	5.9	776.50	1.0	881.12	0.6	789.01	1.7	758.78	1.9	765.57	0.6	729.59	-0.1	905.88	-0.1
Feb	872.00	1.9	876.87	1.9	1,051.36	5.1	916.79	4.7	781.51	2.4	879.57	0.2	792.36	2.8	756.33	1.2	762.68	0.3	715.56	-0.9	913.85	2.0
Mar	879.01	2.2	868.14	1.1	1,073.48	7.9	908.60	4.0	778.64	1.1	889.83	0.6	796.76	2.3	770.07	1.6	778.88	0.8	739.61	3.5	910.42	0.7
Apr	885.20	3.0	877.05	3.9	1,063.19	7.4	905.68	2.7	781.42	1.5	908.07	2.5	793.27	1.2	769.36	1.7	790.11	0.9	737.97	2.4	908.93	2.4
May	883.37	2.3	875.84	4.7	1,063.05	6.7	910.45	3.8	791.74	2.1	906.79	0.7	786.28	0.1	759.33	3.7	788.10	1.6	741.55	1.0	931.33	5.6
Jun	882.66	2.2	869.32	2.2	1,059.54	4.5	910.11	1.0	793.64	1.9	906.81	2.0	789.14	0.6	774.12	4.3	791.16	2.9	736.07	-1.3	913.91	5.2
Jul	881.91	1.7	887.07	4.6	1,045.69	2.5	916.71	0.2	804.20	1.9	901.78	1.1	788.25	-0.1	789.22	5.5	779.19	1.3	726.59	0.3	921.66	5.4
Aug	887.92	1.6	887.86	4.4	1,055.48	1.2	929.58	0.0	810.18	2.7	903.80	1.1	798.92	0.1	812.60	8.0	785.30	2.8	719.62	-2.9	922.20	3.5
Sep	892.01	1.8	890.70	3.7	1,078.73	2.7	951.15	1.1	807.63	2.8	906.86	1.3	795.01	0.0	801.34	6.6	790.16	2.1	743.48	-1.8	941.02	3.7
Oct	892.80	1.9	892.45	3.1	1,063.41	1.3	944.77	0.7	801.47	0.9	911.41	1.9	801.12	1.2	798.44	5.9	792.74	2.6	736.53	-1.4	929.14	2.9
Nov																						
Dec																						
Average:																						
Jan-Oct12	865.11		852.49		1,015.92		900.11		778.37		888.85		785.22		748.75		770.11		733.72		892.05	
Jan-Oct13	883.19		880.65		1,062.42		921.41		792.69		899.60		793.01		778.96		782.39		732.66		919.83	
% Change	2.1		3.3		4.6		2.4		1.8		1.2		1.0		4.0		1.6		-0.1		3.1	

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	Canada		B.C.		Alberta		Sask.		Manitoba		Ontario		Quebec		N.B.		N.S.		P.E.I.		N.L.	
	$	% Chg	$	% Chg	$	% Chg	$	% Chg	$	% Chg	$	% Chg	$	% Chg	$	% Chg	$	% Chg	$	% Chg	$	% Chg
2003	18.05		19.04		18.14		16.44		16.07		18.89		17.41		14.82		15.43		14.50		15.54	
2004	18.50	2.5	19.00	-0.2	18.57	2.4	16.94	3.0	16.78	4.4	19.42	2.8	17.99	3.3	15.21	2.6	15.82	2.5	15.07	3.9	15.53	-0.1
2005	19.09	3.2	19.37	1.9	19.79	6.6	17.28	2.0	17.19	2.4	20.04	3.2	18.42	2.4	15.65	2.9	16.28	2.9	15.16	0.6	16.16	4.1
2006	19.72	3.3	19.92	2.8	21.13	6.8	18.15	5.0	17.55	2.1	20.63	2.9	18.86	2.4	16.24	3.8	16.68	2.5	15.57	2.7	16.63	2.9
2007	20.41	3.5	20.48	2.8	22.44	6.2	19.00	4.7	18.43	5.0	21.24	3.0	19.33	2.5	16.97	4.5	17.55	5.2	16.00	2.8	17.46	5.0
2008	21.31	4.4	21.41	4.5	23.68	5.5	20.35	7.1	19.27	4.6	22.13	4.2	20.01	3.5	17.81	4.9	18.14	3.4	16.98	6.1	18.84	7.9
2009	22.04	3.4	22.17	3.5	24.73	4.4	21.57	6.0	19.87	3.1	22.72	2.7	20.78	3.8	18.69	4.9	19.02	4.9	17.76	4.6	19.57	3.9
2010	22.53	2.2	22.78	2.8	25.05	1.3	22.43	4.0	20.53	3.3	23.22	2.2	21.13	1.7	19.03	1.8	19.90	4.6	18.72	5.4	20.66	5.6
2011	22.99	2.0	23.17	1.7	25.47	1.7	23.05	2.8	21.04	2.5	23.72	2.2	21.47	1.6	19.47	2.3	20.21	1.6	19.23	2.7	21.64	4.7
2012	23.65	2.9	23.58	1.8	26.70	4.8	24.11	4.6	21.36	1.5	24.22	2.1	22.18	3.3	20.02	2.8	20.90	3.4	19.79	2.9	23.09	6.7
2012 Jan	23.56	2.0	23.75	2.7	26.26	3.5	23.57	3.3	21.31	-0.2	24.15	1.0	22.03	2.0	20.07	1.1	20.90	3.0	20.10	4.0	23.71	11.4
Feb	23.53	2.0	23.77	2.6	26.19	2.1	23.62	2.9	21.18	0.0	24.15	1.7	21.94	1.7	20.12	1.9	21.10	2.3	19.92	3.8	23.50	9.6
Mar	23.65	2.6	23.78	2.8	26.03	3.2	23.58	2.6	21.31	1.7	24.30	1.8	22.25	2.8	20.43	3.6	21.18	3.8	19.66	0.8	23.55	9.8
Apr	23.59	2.3	23.40	1.5	26.02	4.0	23.63	2.5	21.23	0.9	24.26	0.7	22.34	4.2	20.25	2.8	21.18	5.2	19.53	-1.0	22.97	7.3
May	23.53	3.0	23.23	1.1	26.12	3.4	23.58	2.6	21.28	2.0	24.37	2.8	22.11	3.8	19.50	2.0	20.92	3.8	19.51	4.6	22.84	9.6
Jun	23.50	3.4	23.58	1.8	26.54	5.0	23.93	4.4	21.22	1.6	24.11	2.8	22.02	4.3	19.63	3.3	20.82	4.8	19.45	5.5	22.44	8.1
Jul	23.32	3.6	23.16	1.0	26.33	5.6	23.83	5.1	21.27	3.5	23.99	3.0	21.81	4.6	19.73	3.5	20.58	4.8	19.19	2.9	22.03	6.8
Aug	23.50	3.8	23.13	0.7	27.02	7.4	24.27	7.4	21.25	2.6	23.99	3.0	22.12	4.3	19.79	3.4	20.57	3.1	19.48	5.0	22.53	5.6
Sep	23.84	3.4	23.59	1.4	27.39	6.5	24.90	6.5	21.52	2.1	24.31	2.6	22.37	3.7	19.78	2.3	20.87	3.6	20.30	5.7	23.36	5.0
Oct	23.92	3.7	23.80	1.9	27.50	6.6	24.91	6.6	21.68	2.5	24.38	3.3	22.38	3.8	19.96	2.9	20.94	3.3	20.22	3.0	23.30	2.6
Nov	23.89	2.2	23.78	1.5	27.45	4.9	24.80	5.7	21.51	0.9	24.22	1.2	22.47	2.0	20.62	4.5	21.00	2.5	20.03	0.7	23.51	3.2
Dec	23.94	2.4	24.03	2.2	27.47	5.5	24.71	5.7	21.56	0.8	24.33	1.1	22.39	2.5	20.49	2.6	20.73	0.8	20.20	-0.5	23.48	2.0
2013 Jan	24.03	2.0	24.28	2.2	27.85	6.1	24.92	5.7	21.47	0.8	24.27	0.5	22.42	1.8	20.54	2.3	21.15	1.2	20.33	1.1	23.67	-0.2
Feb	24.04	2.2	24.26	2.1	27.55	5.2	24.72	4.7	21.61	2.0	24.35	0.8	22.57	2.9	20.39	1.3	20.97	-0.6	20.04	0.6	23.70	0.9
Mar	24.15	2.1	24.06	1.2	27.87	7.1	24.50	3.9	21.65	1.6	24.54	1.0	22.64	1.8	20.72	1.4	21.19	0.0	20.39	3.7	23.78	1.0
Apr	24.28	2.9	24.26	3.7	27.80	6.8	24.54	3.9	21.68	2.1	24.85	2.4	22.59	1.1	20.67	2.1	21.30	0.6	20.33	4.1	23.68	3.1
May	24.08	2.3	24.17	4.0	27.59	5.6	24.38	3.4	21.73	2.1	24.65	1.1	22.33	1.0	20.28	4.0	21.18	1.2	19.88	1.9	23.71	3.8
Jun	24.01	2.2	23.81	1.0	27.71	4.4	24.43	2.1	21.62	1.9	24.62	2.1	22.25	1.0	20.44	4.1	21.28	2.2	19.66	1.1	23.60	5.2
Jul	23.75	1.8	23.96	3.5	27.12	3.0	24.26	1.8	21.67	1.9	24.35	1.5	21.85	0.2	20.52	4.0	20.89	1.5	19.22	0.2	23.26	5.6
Aug	23.86	1.5	24.02	3.8	27.37	1.3	24.47	0.8	21.73	2.3	24.31	1.3	22.15	0.1	20.91	5.7	21.05	2.3	18.99	-2.5	23.32	3.5
Sep	24.28	1.8	24.19	2.5	28.13	2.7	25.12	0.9	22.14	2.9	24.68	1.5	22.51	0.6	21.15	6.9	21.64	3.7	20.21	-0.4	24.26	3.9
Oct	24.38	1.9	24.39	2.5	28.08	2.1	25.29	1.5	21.99	1.4	24.80	1.7	22.72	1.5	21.09	5.7	21.52	2.8	20.13	-0.4	24.13	3.6
Nov																						
Dec																						
Average:																						
Jan-Oct12	23.59		23.52		26.54		23.98		21.33		24.20		22.14		19.93		20.91		19.74		23.02	
Jan-Oct13	24.09		24.14		27.71		24.66		21.73		24.54		22.40		20.67		21.22		19.92		23.71	
% Change	2.1		2.6		4.4		2.8		1.9		1.4		1.2		3.7		1.5		0.9		3.0	

Monthly percent changes are calculated as month over same month previous year

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Source: Statistics Canada Labour Force Survey

2.3 PROVINCIAL COMPARISON - EMPLOYMENT (Actual)

	Canada		B.C.		Alberta		Sask.		Manitoba		Ontario		Quebec		N.B.		N.S.		P.E.I.		N.L.	
	('000)	% Chg	('000)	% Chg	('000)	% Chg	('000)	% Chg	('000)	% Chg	('000)	% Chg	('000)	% Chg	('000)	% Chg	('000)	% Chg	('000)	% Chg	('000)	% Chg
2003	15,662.9		1,998.0		1,732.8		477.5		571.0		6,212.2		3,619.9		342.2		431.4		66.0		211.8	
2004	15,921.8	1.7	2,032.8	1.7	1,777.0	2.6	482.3	1.0	578.8	1.4	6,307.7	1.5	3,673.3	1.5	348.7	1.9	441.0	2.2	66.5	0.8	213.7	0.9
2005	16,124.7	1.3	2,091.9	2.9	1,825.6	2.7	483.8	0.3	581.5	0.5	6,371.1	1.0	3,701.4	0.8	347.0	-0.5	441.6	0.1	67.8	2.0	213.0	-0.3
2006	16,410.2	1.8	2,147.2	2.6	1,916.5	5.0	492.4	1.8	588.5	1.2	6,448.7	1.2	3,742.5	1.1	350.3	1.0	441.0	-0.1	68.2	0.6	214.8	0.8
2007	16,805.6	2.4	2,222.6	3.5	1,991.3	3.9	504.4	2.4	598.6	1.7	6,564.3	1.8	3,834.1	2.4	357.1	1.9	448.0	1.6	68.7	0.7	216.5	0.8
2008	17,087.4	1.7	2,266.4	2.0	2,053.7	3.1	512.8	1.7	608.5	1.7	6,666.3	1.6	3,880.4	1.2	359.1	0.6	452.0	0.9	69.5	1.2	218.7	1.0
2009	16,813.1	-1.6	2,217.9	-2.1	2,025.2	-1.4	519.5	1.3	608.3	0.0	6,502.0	-2.5	3,848.4	-0.8	359.5	0.1	451.4	-0.1	68.6	-1.3	212.3	-2.9
2010	17,041.0	1.4	2,256.5	1.7	2,016.6	-0.4	524.3	0.9	619.8	1.9	6,610.0	1.7	3,915.1	1.7	356.1	-0.9	452.5	0.2	70.6	2.9	219.4	3.3
2011	17,306.2	1.6	2,274.7	0.8	2,094.1	3.8	525.9	0.3	624.5	0.8	6,731.3	1.8	3,953.6	1.0	352.0	-1.2	452.8	0.1	72.0	2.0	225.4	2.7
2012	17,507.7	1.2	2,312.5	1.7	2,149.6	2.7	537.1	2.1	630.1	0.9	6,783.7	0.8	3,984.4	0.8	351.4	-0.2	455.5	0.6	72.8	1.1	230.5	2.3
2012 Jan	16,996.6	0.7	2,252.4	1.6	2,110.4	3.9	520.6	0.6	614.9	0.2	6,634.4	0.6	3,800.5	-1.3	339.8	0.6	444.6	1.0	67.0	2.1	212.1	-0.2
Feb	17,064.1	0.7	2,270.8	1.9	2,106.2	2.7	521.8	1.2	617.4	0.1	6,649.8	0.8	3,829.4	-1.2	339.3	-0.2	445.1	1.9	67.2	2.4	217.1	1.4
Mar	17,148.2	1.3	2,277.7	1.7	2,109.4	3.2	522.0	1.0	621.7	0.8	6,685.1	1.4	3,871.3	0.2	333.7	-2.1	442.3	0.7	67.6	0.1	217.5	0.3
Apr	17,338.8	1.5	2,304.1	2.2	2,118.5	4.0	531.8	2.5	625.9	1.1	6,737.7	0.7	3,935.4	0.9	344.7	0.9	445.3	1.3	69.5	2.7	226.1	2.4
May	17,677.0	1.1	2,331.8	1.9	2,172.1	4.0	546.3	1.9	639.2	1.3	6,816.0	0.4	4,036.9	0.4	362.9	1.6	462.0	0.9	75.1	-0.1	234.7	1.1
Jun	17,869.4	1.0	2,348.5	2.3	2,180.6	2.5	548.9	2.2	640.0	0.9	6,900.5	0.3	4,095.1	0.5	369.2	1.5	466.7	-0.1	78.4	0.6	241.6	2.9
Jul	17,777.2	0.8	2,339.2	1.7	2,180.0	2.4	542.6	1.9	630.6	0.2	6,860.5	0.6	4,065.9	-0.1	366.3	1.2	470.0	0.7	78.6	2.1	243.6	0.6
Aug	17,769.0	1.0	2,348.6	2.2	2,173.6	2.2	549.1	3.8	635.9	0.8	6,845.9	0.2	4,063.2	0.9	366.2	0.0	468.0	0.2	77.8	0.3	240.7	3.2
Sep	17,644.9	1.1	2,338.2	1.5	2,158.9	1.9	540.8	2.0	637.4	1.9	6,794.5	0.7	4,049.0	1.0	354.0	-1.3	462.1	1.5	74.7	-1.3	235.2	3.2
Oct	17,627.6	1.3	2,326.0	1.2	2,161.0	1.8	541.6	2.4	630.4	0.2	6,804.1	0.9	4,044.3	1.8	352.0	-1.4	460.0	1.6	74.1	1.1	234.1	3.8
Nov	17,605.6	1.7	2,311.7	1.1	2,165.3	1.9	540.0	3.0	633.1	1.5	6,832.0	1.2	4,021.7	2.8	346.3	-1.2	452.6	0.0	71.5	1.1	231.4	4.2
Dec	17,574.0	1.8	2,301.1	0.7	2,159.4	1.4	539.8	3.1	634.5	1.9	6,844.5	1.5	4,000.3	3.4	342.9	-1.9	447.8	-2.2	71.8	2.3	231.9	4.5
2013 Jan	17,308.7	1.8	2,259.5	0.3	2,152.7	2.0	545.3	4.7	631.1	2.6	6,720.8	1.3	3,936.4	3.6	337.2	-0.8	436.9	-1.7	68.9	2.8	220.0	3.7
Feb	17,409.0	2.0	2,286.5	0.7	2,159.3	2.5	546.2	4.7	629.4	1.9	6,770.2	1.8	3,942.4	3.0	340.6	0.4	440.2	-1.1	70.5	4.9	223.8	3.1
Mar	17,348.3	1.2	2,277.3	0.0	2,146.8	1.8	547.7	4.9	629.5	1.3	6,740.8	0.8	3,929.9	1.5	338.1	1.3	442.9	0.1	70.7	4.6	224.6	3.3
Apr	17,490.1	0.9	2,298.1	-0.3	2,157.3	1.8	548.5	3.1	623.5	-0.4	6,801.6	0.9	3,975.2	1.0	339.5	-1.5	448.9	0.8	71.7	3.2	225.8	-0.1
May	17,922.0	1.4	2,325.4	-0.3	2,223.1	2.3	560.9	2.7	639.0	0.0	6,956.8	2.1	4,079.8	1.1	358.4	-1.2	462.8	0.2	77.3	2.9	238.3	1.5
Jun	18,106.6	1.3	2,345.5	-0.1	2,234.0	2.4	568.2	3.5	649.3	1.5	7,012.9	1.6	4,141.5	1.1	360.9	-2.2	471.1	0.9	78.7	0.4	244.7	1.3
Jul	18,002.7	1.3	2,334.1	-0.2	2,247.8	3.1	564.1	4.0	637.8	1.1	6,953.5	1.4	4,107.2	1.0	364.0	-0.6	468.8	-0.3	78.7	0.1	246.8	1.3
Aug	18,027.6	1.5	2,341.4	-0.3	2,256.4	3.8	564.9	2.9	636.7	0.1	7,004.4	2.3	4,069.9	0.2	363.4	-0.8	468.1	0.0	79.6	2.3	242.8	0.9
Sep	17,848.2	1.2	2,320.4	-0.8	2,239.2	3.7	555.5	2.7	635.0	-0.4	6,913.6	1.8	4,054.2	0.1	359.0	1.4	459.3	-0.6	75.8	1.5	236.1	0.4
Oct	17,829.2	1.1	2,311.0	-0.6	2,233.6	3.4	556.5	2.8	631.2	0.1	6,900.5	1.4	4,079.4	0.9	353.1	0.3	453.7	-1.4	75.1	1.3	235.2	0.5
Nov																						
Dec																						
Average:																						
Jan-Oct12	17,491.3		2,313.7		2,147.1		536.6		629.3		6,772.9		3,979.1		352.8		456.6		73.0		230.3	
Jan-Oct13	17,729.2		2,309.9		2,205.0		555.8		634.3		6,877.5		4,031.6		351.4		455.3		74.7		233.8	
% Change	1.4		-0.2		2.7		3.6		0.8		1.5		1.3		-0.4		-0.3		2.3		1.5	

Monthly percent changes are calculated as month over same month previous year

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Source: Statistics Canada Labour Force Survey

2.4 PROVINCIAL COMPARISON - AVERAGE WEEKLY HOURS WORKED*

	Canada		B.C.		Alberta		Sask.		Manitoba		Ontario		Quebec		N.B.		N.S.		P.E.I.		N.L.	
	Hrs	% Chg	Hrs	% Chg	Hrs	% Chg	Hrs	% Chg	Hrs	% Chg	Hrs	% Chg	Hrs	% Chg	Hrs	% Chg	Hrs	% Chg	Hrs	% Chg	Hrs	% Chg
2003	32.9		31.8		34.7		33.6		33.3		33.2		31.9		34.1		32.9		33.9		33.3	
2004	33.3	1.2	32.3	1.6	34.9	0.6	33.7	0.3	33.3	0.0	33.7	1.5	32.3	1.3	33.8	-0.9	32.1	-2.4	33.0	-2.7	33.4	0.3
2005	33.5	0.6	32.6	0.9	35.5	1.7	34.4	2.1	33.4	0.3	33.7	0.0	32.5	0.6	34.1	0.9	33.0	2.8	33.8	2.4	34.1	2.1
2006	33.2	-0.9	32.5	-0.3	35.4	-0.3	34.4	0.0	33.3	-0.3	33.4	-0.9	32.0	-1.5	34.2	0.3	32.9	-0.3	34.4	1.8	34.5	1.2
2007	33.3	0.3	32.9	1.2	35.7	0.8	34.8	1.2	33.7	1.2	33.5	0.3	31.6	-1.3	34.1	-0.3	33.3	1.2	33.8	-1.7	34.7	0.6
2008	33.0	-0.9	32.3	-1.8	35.0	-2.0	34.5	-0.9	33.3	-1.2	33.1	-1.2	31.9	0.9	33.8	-0.9	32.8	-1.5	33.5	-0.9	34.4	-0.9
2009	32.2	-2.4	31.3	-3.1	33.5	-4.3	33.1	-4.1	32.7	-1.8	32.4	-2.1	31.2	-2.2	33.5	-0.9	32.5	-0.9	33.1	-1.2	33.5	-2.6
2010	32.6	1.2	31.8	1.6	34.1	1.8	33.6	1.5	32.5	-0.6	32.8	1.2	31.7	1.6	34.0	1.5	32.9	1.2	32.5	-1.8	33.6	0.3
2011	32.8	0.6	31.6	-0.6	34.8	2.1	34.0	1.2	32.8	0.9	33.0	0.6	31.7	0.0	33.3	-2.1	32.5	-1.2	33.3	2.5	34.3	2.1
2012	33.0	0.6	32.0	1.3	35.2	1.1	34.6	1.8	33.1	0.9	33.1	0.3	31.6	-0.3	34.1	2.4	32.7	0.6	33.5	0.6	34.8	1.5
2012 Jan	33.0	0.3	32.1	0.6	35.4	2.0	34.0	2.1	32.5	-0.9	33.5	0.6	31.2	-1.3	33.9	0.6	33.1	-0.6	32.8	1.9	34.7	1.5
Feb	33.1	0.9	32.5	2.2	35.6	3.5	33.1	1.5	32.3	-0.9	33.2	-0.6	32.0	0.6	34.2	2.1	32.4	4.2	32.6	4.5	34.7	2.1
Mar	32.1	-0.6	30.7	-3.8	35.9	0.8	34.2	0.9	33.1	-0.3	31.1	-0.3	32.2	0.9	34.1	2.7	30.3	-5.9	32.4	2.2	34.7	3.0
Apr	33.6	0.3	32.4	0.3	35.3	0.6	35.1	2.0	33.9	0.3	34.1	0.0	32.2	-0.3	34.5	3.9	33.6	1.8	33.0	2.2	35.8	2.9
May	34.1	0.6	32.5	-0.3	36.1	0.6	36.4	0.6	34.0	-0.6	34.3	0.6	32.9	0.6	35.9	3.8	34.0	-0.9	35.5	-1.9	36.0	-1.1
Jun	34.5	1.5	33.8	3.4	36.2	1.1	35.4	-0.3	34.4	0.6	34.5	0.9	33.5	1.5	35.6	2.0	34.2	0.3	36.4	-3.2	35.8	-1.1
Jul	31.8	-0.3	31.7	1.9	33.9	0.9	33.2	0.3	32.2	0.0	32.3	-0.3	29.4	-3.0	32.6	1.2	31.9	0.0	32.1	-4.7	34.1	-0.3
Aug	31.2	-1.0	30.6	-0.6	33.5	-2.0	33.9	0.0	32.2	-0.3	31.4	-1.9	29.5	1.0	31.9	-0.6	30.4	-1.3	32.7	-0.9	32.5	-1.2
Sep	34.3	0.3	33.3	2.1	36.6	-0.8	37.9	1.6	34.6	0.6	34.4	0.6	32.6	-0.9	35.4	-1.1	34.4	0.3	36.1	1.7	35.6	0.6
Oct	30.1	0.0	29.4	-0.7	32.3	-2.1	32.3	1.9	30.5	1.0	30.2	1.3	28.7	-1.0	31.6	1.0	30.3	-0.3	31.2	1.0	31.9	-3.0
Nov	33.8	5.3	32.5	10.5	35.7	9.5	35.0	10.8	33.8	11.6	34.1	2.4	32.9	1.9	34.7	14.1	33.3	12.5	33.2	9.6	35.4	11.7
Dec	33.8	-0.3	32.7	0.0	36.2	0.3	34.4	-1.1	33.6	-0.6	34.0	0.0	32.6	-0.9	35.2	2.0	34.3	-0.3	33.3	-0.9	35.8	0.3
2013 Jan	33.4	1.2	32.9	2.5	36.1	2.0	34.2	0.6	32.5	0.0	33.5	0.0	31.9	2.2	34.0	0.3	32.7	-1.2	32.6	-0.6	34.5	-0.6
Feb	32.9	-0.6	31.6	-2.8	35.7	0.3	33.8	2.1	32.4	0.3	32.9	-0.9	32.2	0.6	33.7	-1.5	32.5	0.3	31.4	-3.7	34.7	0.0
Mar	32.3	0.6	32.4	5.5	36.1	0.6	34.5	0.9	32.9	-0.6	30.9	-0.6	32.1	-0.3	33.8	-0.9	30.1	-0.7	32.3	-0.3	34.4	-0.9
Apr	33.8	0.5	33.0	1.9	36.1	2.3	34.2	-2.6	33.1	-2.4	34.3	0.6	32.3	0.3	34.3	-0.6	33.2	-1.2	33.3	0.9	35.1	-2.0
May	33.9	-0.6	32.5	0.0	35.9	-0.6	36.9	1.4	34.6	1.8	34.1	-0.5	32.7	-0.6	35.0	-2.5	34.1	0.3	35.5	0.0	36.0	0.0
Jun	34.2	-0.9	33.8	0.0	36.2	0.0	36.1	2.0	34.2	-0.6	34.3	-0.6	32.6	-2.7	35.4	-0.6	33.8	-1.2	36.9	1.4	36.2	1.1
Jul	31.7	-0.3	31.8	0.3	34.7	2.4	33.5	0.9	32.2	0.0	31.7	-1.9	29.5	0.3	32.6	0.0	31.9	0.0	32.8	2.2	32.8	-3.8
Aug	31.1	-0.3	31.0	1.3	33.7	0.6	33.8	-0.3	31.7	-1.6	31.3	-0.3	29.0	-1.7	32.1	0.6	30.7	1.0	31.9	-2.4	31.7	-2.5
Sep	34.2	-0.3	32.9	-1.2	36.5	-0.3	37.7	-0.5	34.6	0.0	34.5	0.3	32.9	0.9	35.0	-1.1	33.4	-2.9	35.3	-2.2	35.2	-1.1
Oct	30.1	0.0	29.3	-0.3	32.4	0.3	32.5	0.6	30.6	0.3	30.1	-0.3	28.6	-0.3	31.3	-0.9	30.1	-0.7	30.8	-1.3	31.8	-0.3
Nov																						
Dec																						
Average:																						
Jan-Oct12	32.8		31.9		35.1		34.6		33.0		32.9		31.4		34.0		32.5		33.5		34.6	
Jan-Oct13	32.8		32.1		35.3		34.7		32.9		32.8		31.4		33.7		32.3		33.3		34.2	
% Change	-0.1		0.7		0.7		0.5		-0.3		-0.4		-0.1		-0.7		-0.6		-0.6		-1.0	

* Average Actual Hours, All Workers, Main Job / Monthly percent changes are calculated as month over same month previous year

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Source: Statistics Canada Labour Force Survey

3.1 B.C. SECTOR COMPARISON - EARNINGS AND EMPLOYMENT TRENDS

		Average Weekly Wage rate				Average Hourly Wage Rate				Employment (Actual)				Average Weekly Hours Worked*			
		Goods Industries		Service Industries		Goods Industries		Service Industries		Goods Industries		Service Industries		Goods Industries		Service Industries	
		$	% Chg	$	% Chg	$	% Chg	$	% Chg	('000)	% Chg	('000)	% Chg	Hrs	% Chg	Hrs	% Chg
	2003	809.92		652.60		20.48		18.67		409.6		1,588.3		35.6		30.8	
	2004	793.81	-2.0	659.64	1.1	19.95	-2.6	18.76	0.5	428.5	4.6	1,604.3	1.0	36.3	2.0	31.2	1.3
	2005	808.02	1.8	678.70	2.9	20.21	1.3	19.16	2.1	444.1	3.6	1,647.8	2.7	36.7	1.1	31.5	1.0
	2006	836.29	3.5	697.96	2.8	20.88	3.3	19.68	2.7	453.8	2.2	1,693.4	2.8	36.5	-0.5	31.5	0.0
	2007	880.99	5.3	712.22	2.0	21.91	4.9	20.11	2.2	483.5	6.5	1,739.0	2.7	37.0	1.4	31.7	0.6
	2008	913.16	3.7	742.83	4.3	22.88	4.4	21.03	4.6	490.9	1.5	1,775.6	2.1	36.2	-2.2	31.3	-1.3
	2009	955.67	4.7	762.37	2.6	24.10	5.3	21.73	3.3	438.8	-10.6	1,779.1	0.2	35.2	-2.8	30.4	-2.9
	2010	990.65	3.7	784.97	3.0	24.81	2.9	22.33	2.8	442.7	0.9	1,813.8	2.0	36.9	4.8	30.6	0.7
	2011	1,004.03	1.4	799.24	1.8	25.08	1.1	22.74	1.8	447.4	1.1	1,827.2	0.7	36.3	-1.6	30.5	-0.3
	2012	1,025.63	2.2	813.46	1.8	25.65	2.3	23.08	1.5	459.1	2.6	1,853.4	1.4	36.4	0.3	30.9	1.3
2012	Jan	1,017.08	-1.9	812.96	3.6	25.56	-0.9	23.32	3.3	438.9	7.2	1,813.5	0.4	35.5	-2.2	31.3	1.3
	Feb	1,032.66	1.4	820.49	4.3	25.99	1.9	23.25	2.7	440.4	3.7	1,830.4	1.5	36.6	2.2	31.5	1.9
	Mar	1,047.40	2.0	813.85	4.0	26.32	2.9	23.18	2.6	444.7	1.4	1,833.0	1.8	35.4	-3.0	29.6	-3.9
	Apr	1,020.96	-0.5	800.48	2.3	25.45	-0.9	22.89	2.0	467.1	3.6	1,836.9	1.8	37.4	1.4	31.1	-0.3
	May	1,000.68	-0.1	796.88	0.6	25.17	0.4	22.77	1.2	463.8	0.4	1,868.0	2.2	37.0	0.0	31.3	-0.6
	Jun	1,008.87	0.6	812.64	1.3	25.35	0.5	23.15	1.9	471.0	3.4	1,877.5	2.0	38.5	2.4	32.6	3.5
	Jul	1,013.99	2.7	806.39	0.8	25.36	2.6	22.60	0.3	476.7	4.7	1,862.5	0.9	36.6	-1.6	30.5	3.0
	Aug	1,018.46	4.0	810.06	0.4	25.23	3.8	22.62	-0.1	475.3	2.0	1,873.3	2.3	35.8	1.1	29.3	-1.3
	Sep	1,007.88	4.3	822.71	1.0	25.20	3.7	23.20	0.7	473.6	0.8	1,864.6	1.6	37.4	-1.8	32.2	3.5
	Oct	1,041.74	4.0	824.44	2.2	25.87	4.1	23.31	1.3	451.7	1.9	1,874.3	1.1	33.1	-4.6	28.5	0.4
	Nov	1,046.68	4.6	815.61	0.5	26.10	4.7	23.24	0.7	455.7	1.8	1,856.0	0.9	36.7	11.6	31.5	10.5
	Dec	1,055.66	4.7	824.97	0.8	26.33	4.8	23.50	1.6	450.2	0.9	1,850.9	0.7	37.3	0.8	31.5	-0.6
2013	Jan	1,088.37	7.0	834.55	2.7	26.87	5.1	23.70	1.6	432.9	-1.4	1,826.7	0.7	36.8	3.7	31.9	1.9
	Feb	1,056.95	2.4	837.30	2.0	26.38	1.5	23.80	2.4	430.6	-2.2	1,855.9	1.4	35.1	-4.1	30.8	-2.2
	Mar	1,054.79	0.7	827.48	1.7	26.34	0.1	23.56	1.6	431.0	-3.1	1,846.3	0.7	35.8	1.1	31.6	6.8
	Apr	1,037.64	1.6	841.88	5.2	25.93	1.9	23.90	4.4	431.2	-7.7	1,866.9	1.6	36.8	-1.6	32.1	3.2
	May	1,049.51	4.9	836.22	4.9	25.75	2.3	23.82	4.6	446.7	-3.7	1,878.8	0.6	36.8	-0.5	31.5	0.6
	Jun	1,043.76	3.5	828.01	1.9	25.52	0.7	23.41	1.1	453.0	-3.8	1,892.5	0.8	38.8	0.8	32.6	0.0
	Jul	1,042.68	2.8	848.09	5.2	25.64	1.1	23.55	4.2	470.0	-1.4	1,864.1	0.1	37.1	1.4	30.5	0.0
	Aug	1,052.47	3.3	847.68	4.6	25.96	2.9	23.55	4.1	464.4	-2.3	1,877.1	0.2	36.5	2.0	29.7	1.4
	Sep	1,054.29	4.6	850.89	3.4	25.94	2.9	23.76	2.4	458.6	-3.2	1,861.8	-0.2	37.1	-0.8	31.8	-1.2
	Oct	1,074.81	3.2	850.91	3.2	26.65	3.0	23.87	2.4	446.8	-1.1	1,864.2	-0.5	32.6	-1.5	28.5	0.0
	Nov																
	Dec																
Average:																	
	Jan-Oct12	1,020.97		812.09		25.55		23.03		460.3		1,853.4		36.3		30.8	
	Jan-Oct13	1,055.53		840.30		26.10		23.69		446.5		1,863.4		36.3		31.1	
	% Change	3.4		3.5		2.1		2.9		-3.0		0.5		0.0		1.0	

* Average Actual Hours, All Workers, Main Job / Monthly percent changes are calculated as month over same month previous year

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3.2A B.C. INDUSTRIAL COMPARISON - AVERAGE WEEKLY WAGE RATE

	All Goods Producing Industries		Agriculture		Forestry, Fishing, Mining, Quarrying, Oil & Gas		Utilities		Manufacturing		Construction	
	$	% Chg	$	% Chg	$	% Chg	$	% Chg	$	% Chg	$	% Chg
2003	809.92		480.87		969.16		1,080.37		808.05		780.29	
2004	793.81	-2.0	493.40	2.6	1,019.85	5.2	997.51	-7.7	791.78	-2.0	785.36	0.6
2005	808.02	1.8	506.73	2.7	1,047.50	2.7	1,055.68	5.8	803.90	1.5	779.35	-0.8
2006	836.29	3.5	486.68	-4.0	1,086.85	3.8	1,097.70	4.0	828.25	3.0	823.86	5.7
2007	880.99	5.3	562.15	15.5	1,119.81	3.0	1,115.41	1.6	856.74	3.4	871.53	5.8
2008	913.16	3.7	537.40	-4.4	1,180.47	5.4	1,156.86	3.7	881.58	2.9	906.26	4.0
2009	955.67	4.7	586.03	9.0	1,251.47	6.0	1,249.12	8.0	898.48	1.9	967.74	6.8
2010	990.65	3.7	622.45	6.2	1,245.78	-0.5	1,269.90	1.7	965.26	7.4	975.78	0.8
2011	1,004.03	1.4	605.27	-2.8	1,333.70	7.1	1,362.85	7.3	934.31	-3.2	1,002.99	2.8
2012	1,025.63	2.2	571.41	-5.6	1,325.63	-0.6	1,275.62	-6.4	995.06	6.5	1,001.33	-0.2
2012 Jan	1,017.08	-1.9	565.47	-8.3	1,349.32	1.7	1,206.59	-15.6	1,001.27	2.8	964.31	-7.2
Feb	1,032.66	1.4	623.11	-0.8	1,359.29	-1.9	1,346.24	1.5	980.77	3.3	1,001.79	0.0
Mar	1,047.40	2.0	584.84	-2.6	1,364.81	-6.2	1,285.24	-1.7	1,014.56	4.6	1,015.24	2.1
Apr	1,020.96	-0.5	530.94	-20.5	1,368.77	-1.6	1,260.97	-8.8	990.71	4.7	989.87	-2.6
May	1,000.68	-0.1	487.10	-17.2	1,284.72	-3.3	1,146.79	-14.6	993.70	5.3	967.81	-1.5
Jun	1,008.87	0.6	511.40	-16.2	1,281.01	6.1	1,341.86	-10.6	999.85	5.8	957.72	-3.2
Jul	1,013.99	2.7	603.79	1.6	1,295.86	-5.5	1,328.61	-2.9	988.22	9.7	988.11	1.2
Aug	1,018.46	4.0	590.42	-10.5	1,324.52	-1.1	1,249.66	-18.1	1,002.81	13.3	977.89	-0.7
Sep	1,007.88	4.3	560.16	-4.2	1,296.48	5.5	1,292.56	-7.0	1,005.08	10.9	962.74	-3.2
Oct	1,041.74	4.0	548.31	-5.1	1,353.48	9.3	1,327.62	12.6	992.49	5.7	1,046.46	1.2
Nov	1,046.68	4.6	645.99	4.6	1,325.73	-3.2	1,244.99	-5.7	984.66	9.5	1,051.26	1.9
Dec	1,055.66	4.7	607.35	12.5	1,308.80	-6.1	1,273.47	0.9	985.30	3.2	1,086.48	9.2
2013 Jan	1,088.37	7.0	618.96	9.5	1,429.00	5.9	1,342.91	11.3	978.23	-2.3	1,132.37	17.4
Feb	1,056.95	2.4	634.57	1.8	1,365.78	0.5	1,237.75	-8.1	982.43	0.2	1,079.14	7.7
Mar	1,054.79	0.7	553.66	-5.3	1,350.82	-1.0	1,366.89	6.4	974.53	-3.9	1,084.60	6.8
Apr	1,037.64	1.6	536.27	1.0	1,455.96	6.4	1,404.39	11.4	959.17	-3.2	1,036.12	4.7
May	1,049.51	4.9	563.22	15.6	1,442.97	12.3	1,318.94	15.0	967.64	-2.6	1,036.32	7.1
Jun	1,043.76	3.5	657.43	28.6	1,364.64	6.5	1,209.83	-9.8	968.90	-3.1	1,055.26	10.2
Jul	1,042.68	2.8	593.47	-1.7	1,317.92	1.7	1,188.78	-10.5	996.58	0.8	1,063.36	7.6
Aug	1,052.47	3.3	708.41	20.0	1,288.38	-2.7	1,077.09	-13.8	1,009.30	0.6	1,073.51	9.8
Sep	1,054.29	4.6	661.25	18.0	1,358.07	4.8	1,083.48	-16.2	992.87	-1.2	1,053.81	9.5
Oct	1,074.81	3.2	717.41	30.8	1,345.18	-0.6	1,270.18	-4.3	1,007.05	1.5	1,075.09	2.7
Nov												
Dec												
Average:												
Jan-Oct12	1,020.97		560.55		1,327.83		1,278.61		996.95		987.19	
Jan-Oct13	1,055.53		624.47		1,371.87		1,250.02		983.67		1,068.96	
% Change	3.4		11.4		3.3		-2.2		-1.3		8.3	

Monthly percent changes are calculated as month over same month previous year

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3.2B B.C. INDUSTRIAL COMPARISON - AVERAGE WEEKLY WAGE RATE

	All Service Producing Industries		Transport. and Warehousing		Retail and Wholesale Trade		Finance & Related		Selected Breakout of Community & Personal Service								Public Administration		Total All Industries	
									Profess., Scient. & Tech Services		Educational Services		Health Care & Social Assist.		Accommod. & Food Serv.					
	$	% Chg	$	% Chg	$	% Chg	$	% Chg	$	% Chg	$	% Chg	$	% Chg	$	% Chg	$	% Chg	$	% Chg
2003	652.60		804.56		524.52		729.74		861.17		791.62		707.01		350.54		907.63		684.22	
2004	659.64	1.1	791.13	-1.7	523.11	-0.3	721.07	-1.2	841.38	-2.3	825.63	4.3	731.54	3.5	363.32	3.6	912.91	0.6	687.15	0.4
2005	678.70	2.9	839.94	6.2	522.52	-0.1	733.61	1.7	931.58	10.7	852.93	3.3	726.71	-0.7	385.15	6.0	952.69	4.4	704.71	2.6
2006	697.96	2.8	853.82	1.7	560.47	7.3	766.28	4.5	953.26	2.3	849.46	-0.4	748.88	3.1	373.86	-2.9	991.40	4.1	725.80	3.0
2007	712.22	2.0	874.09	2.4	576.26	2.8	773.15	0.9	973.49	2.1	845.28	-0.5	741.53	-1.0	392.60	5.0	1,013.18	2.2	747.06	2.9
2008	742.83	4.3	918.63	5.1	595.63	3.4	830.41	7.4	989.24	1.6	896.13	6.0	780.67	5.3	396.54	1.0	1,042.31	2.9	777.88	4.1
2009	762.37	2.6	910.95	-0.8	608.83	2.2	875.22	5.4	1,079.50	9.1	870.06	-2.9	801.45	2.7	391.26	-1.3	1,125.81	8.0	797.85	2.6
2010	784.97	3.0	972.51	6.8	628.69	3.3	879.08	0.4	1,084.50	0.5	925.35	6.4	814.79	1.7	393.05	0.5	1,152.31	2.4	822.81	3.1
2011	799.24	1.8	963.57	-0.9	633.41	0.8	893.12	1.6	1,104.15	1.8	955.56	3.3	829.20	1.8	402.63	2.4	1,196.08	3.8	837.37	1.8
2012	813.46	1.8	970.02	0.7	635.64	0.4	947.60	6.1	1,115.90	1.1	975.74	2.1	846.29	2.1	444.26	10.3	1,178.91	-1.4	854.34	2.0
2012 Jan	812.96	3.6	970.07	1.3	626.86	-0.8	960.60	10.3	1,129.48	1.7	971.00	3.2	844.53	2.7	429.62	18.0	1,187.07	0.2	851.91	2.8
Feb	820.49	4.3	982.70	2.4	604.88	-4.6	1,010.49	12.2	1,173.20	7.4	973.35	4.7	873.26	8.8	438.19	21.8	1,185.71	1.4	860.57	3.8
Mar	813.85	4.0	981.84	7.1	580.04	-8.9	996.48	8.3	1,207.32	10.6	966.29	1.7	847.47	7.9	440.96	18.4	1,161.26	3.2	858.29	3.7
Apr	800.48	2.3	957.66	1.8	603.44	-1.6	925.01	2.7	1,177.88	7.7	941.49	-2.0	838.25	4.5	413.29	3.7	1,170.54	2.3	844.42	2.0
May	796.88	0.6	947.40	-4.8	619.96	0.2	919.37	4.2	1,085.70	1.4	945.40	-3.8	829.50	-0.4	439.40	10.6	1,172.67	1.9	836.13	0.5
Jun	812.64	1.3	961.68	0.7	623.38	1.0	999.04	13.7	1,084.97	-2.6	951.39	-3.5	850.62	-1.4	453.72	11.1	1,178.41	1.6	850.70	1.3
Jul	806.39	0.8	949.59	-1.6	650.05	4.1	948.46	11.4	1,049.95	-4.2	999.75	1.5	844.23	-1.2	452.05	6.3	1,192.46	1.4	848.01	1.7
Aug	810.06	0.4	942.55	-3.6	661.52	2.0	917.47	5.9	1,054.53	-5.2	1,008.00	1.4	843.72	2.1	457.11	3.5	1,201.70	-2.4	850.66	1.3
Sep	822.71	1.0	950.91	-3.6	653.50	2.0	982.39	9.2	1,132.42	-0.2	980.32	5.8	839.84	1.3	448.77	2.9	1,194.20	-9.8	858.69	1.8
Oct	824.44	2.2	999.59	0.7	674.62	7.5	939.28	5.4	1,077.36	-4.0	977.46	7.1	839.34	-1.1	476.61	19.2	1,166.13	-6.5	865.53	2.7
Nov	815.61	0.5	1,013.95	6.0	663.11	1.9	904.09	-3.3	1,071.28	-1.7	1,007.21	7.7	850.70	1.4	435.91	4.1	1,148.64	-7.5	859.57	1.4
Dec	824.97	0.8	987.98	3.7	655.10	-0.2	870.57	-5.1	1,164.17	4.1	1,000.02	1.5	854.85	1.6	443.59	10.7	1,186.19	-2.7	868.09	1.5
2013 Jan	834.55	2.7	999.54	3.0	690.97	10.2	932.03	-3.0	1,188.38	5.2	981.89	1.1	860.92	1.9	439.90	2.4	1,149.96	-3.1	881.18	3.4
Feb	837.30	2.0	1,067.85	8.7	676.53	11.8	924.06	-8.6	1,228.12	4.7	941.82	-3.2	881.91	1.0	416.54	-4.9	1,131.85	-4.5	876.87	1.9
Mar	827.48	1.7	1,025.61	4.5	664.27	14.5	878.73	-11.8	1,208.09	0.1	951.51	-1.5	855.41	0.9	434.98	-1.4	1,160.04	-0.1	868.14	1.1
Apr	841.88	5.2	1,036.38	8.2	681.00	12.9	929.86	0.5	1,168.42	-0.8	950.06	0.9	876.43	4.6	420.64	1.8	1,168.18	-0.2	877.05	3.9
May	836.22	4.9	1,053.20	11.2	678.32	9.4	949.59	3.3	1,141.28	5.1	940.60	-0.5	889.88	7.3	406.29	-7.5	1,152.82	-1.7	875.84	4.7
Jun	828.01	1.9	1,048.31	9.0	653.99	4.9	936.84	-6.2	1,133.92	4.5	948.80	-0.3	870.26	2.3	416.51	-8.2	1,223.94	3.9	869.32	2.2
Jul	848.09	5.2	1,034.23	8.9	667.55	2.7	950.70	0.2	1,227.68	16.9	1,008.32	0.9	884.29	4.7	434.10	-4.0	1,252.38	5.0	887.07	4.6
Aug	847.68	4.6	1,067.75	13.3	675.52	2.1	992.58	8.2	1,174.64	11.4	997.95	-1.0	884.17	4.8	411.25	-10.0	1,245.76	3.7	887.86	4.4
Sep	850.89	3.4	1,030.06	8.3	646.48	-1.1	985.27	0.3	1,205.78	6.5	977.42	-0.3	901.70	7.4	400.56	-10.7	1,259.12	5.4	890.70	3.7
Oct	850.91	3.2	1,009.79	1.0	629.82	-6.6	968.27	3.1	1,268.91	17.8	966.04	-1.2	877.81	4.6	439.20	-7.8	1,273.15	9.2	892.45	3.1
Nov																				
Dec																				
Average:																				
Jan-Oct12	812.09		964.40		629.83		959.86		1,117.28		971.45		845.08		444.97		1,181.02		852.49	
Jan-Oct13	840.30		1,037.27		666.45		944.79		1,194.52		966.44		878.28		422.00		1,201.72		880.65	
% Change	3.5		7.6		5.8		-1.6		6.9		-0.5		3.9		-5.2		1.8		3.3	

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Source: Statistics Canada Labour Force Survey

3.3A B.C. INDUSTRIAL COMPARISON - AVERAGE HOURLY WAGE RATE

	All Goods Producing Industries		Agriculture		Forestry, Fishing, Mining, Quarrying, Oil & Gas		Utilities		Manufacturing		Construction	
	$	% Chg	$	% Chg	$	% Chg	$	% Chg	$	% Chg	$	% Chg
2003	20.48		12.79		23.20		28.16		20.48		19.93	
2004	19.95	-2.6	12.62	-1.3	24.00	3.4	25.77	-8.5	20.03	-2.2	19.81	-0.6
2005	20.21	1.3	12.69	0.6	24.21	0.9	27.55	6.9	20.33	1.5	19.59	-1.1
2006	20.88	3.3	12.72	0.2	25.19	4.0	28.24	2.5	20.96	3.1	20.53	4.8
2007	21.91	4.9	14.46	13.7	25.47	1.1	28.92	2.4	21.60	3.1	21.83	6.3
2008	22.88	4.4	14.03	-3.0	26.87	5.5	29.91	3.4	22.33	3.4	22.96	5.2
2009	24.10	5.3	15.17	8.1	28.60	6.4	32.42	8.4	23.08	3.4	24.54	6.9
2010	24.81	2.9	16.15	6.5	28.60	0.0	32.76	1.0	24.38	5.6	24.67	0.5
2011	25.08	1.1	15.48	-4.1	30.48	6.6	34.98	6.8	23.85	-2.2	25.09	1.7
2012	25.65	2.3	15.42	-0.4	30.16	-1.0	33.90	-3.1	25.10	5.2	25.32	0.9
2012 Jan	25.56	-0.9	15.97	0.9	29.85	-2.2	30.81	-17.1	25.42	2.7	24.85	-3.2
Feb	25.99	1.9	17.05	6.8	31.12	-1.8	35.36	4.7	25.03	2.0	25.43	2.2
Mar	26.32	2.9	15.96	7.0	30.67	-3.2	33.34	1.0	25.87	4.1	25.86	3.6
Apr	25.45	-0.9	14.70	-13.6	31.10	-3.1	33.50	-4.2	25.01	3.3	24.79	-2.6
May	25.17	0.4	13.59	-17.3	29.86	-2.1	30.40	-13.8	24.95	5.0	24.85	0.1
Jun	25.35	0.5	13.98	-9.9	30.10	5.2	34.39	-12.3	24.97	3.4	24.76	-0.3
Jul	25.36	2.6	16.28	15.0	29.68	-3.2	34.63	0.0	24.77	8.0	25.19	0.4
Aug	25.23	3.8	15.18	0.6	29.00	-5.3	33.95	-13.4	24.98	10.6	24.86	1.5
Sep	25.20	3.7	14.47	0.5	29.03	-0.2	35.62	-1.4	25.28	8.5	24.35	-2.2
Oct	25.87	4.1	15.53	2.6	30.98	7.0	35.61	16.8	25.03	6.2	25.66	0.2
Nov	26.10	4.7	17.08	3.8	30.62	0.7	35.30	6.3	24.87	6.5	25.97	1.9
Dec	26.33	4.8	15.94	2.5	29.92	-4.5	32.79	0.6	25.07	3.3	27.12	8.9
2013 Jan	26.87	5.1	17.68	10.7	31.61	5.9	33.17	7.7	24.70	-2.8	28.16	13.3
Feb	26.38	1.5	18.44	8.2	30.08	-3.3	32.71	-7.5	25.13	0.4	26.99	6.1
Mar	26.34	0.1	16.60	4.0	29.78	-2.9	35.84	7.5	25.00	-3.4	27.00	4.4
Apr	25.93	1.9	16.74	13.9	31.13	0.1	36.59	9.2	24.50	-2.0	26.22	5.8
May	25.75	2.3	16.22	19.4	30.82	3.2	33.84	11.3	24.48	-1.9	25.71	3.5
Jun	25.52	0.7	18.28	30.8	29.04	-3.5	31.16	-9.4	24.61	-1.4	25.83	4.3
Jul	25.64	1.1	16.20	-0.5	28.88	-2.7	30.15	-12.9	25.39	2.5	26.01	3.3
Aug	25.96	2.9	17.89	17.9	29.49	1.7	29.69	-12.5	25.66	2.7	26.04	4.7
Sep	25.94	2.9	17.20	18.9	30.09	3.7	28.46	-20.1	25.22	-0.2	26.05	7.0
Oct	26.65	3.0	18.35	18.2	30.47	-1.6	33.51	-5.9	25.51	1.9	26.79	4.4
Nov												
Dec												
Average:												
Jan-Oct12	25.55		15.27		30.14		33.76		25.13		25.06	
Jan-Oct13	26.10		17.36		30.14		32.51		25.02		26.48	
% Change	2.1		13.7		0.0		-3.7		-0.4		5.7	

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Source: Statistics Canada Labour Force Survey

3.3B B.C. INDUSTRIAL COMPARISON - AVERAGE HOURLY WAGE RATE

	All Service Producing Industries		Transport. and Warehousing		Retail and Wholesale Trade		Finance & Related		Selected Breakout of Community & Personal Service								Public Administration		Total All Industries	
									Profess., Scient. & Tech Services		Educational Services		Health Care & Social Assist.		Accommod. & Food Serv.					
	$	% Chg	$	% Chg	$	% Chg	$	% Chg	$	% Chg	$	% Chg	$	% Chg	$	% Chg	$	% Chg	$	% Chg
2003	18.67		20.43		14.96		19.80		22.75		24.28		21.90		11.28		24.42		19.04	
2004	18.76	0.5	19.99	-2.2	14.97	0.1	19.80	0.0	22.11	-2.8	25.05	3.2	22.02	0.5	11.58	2.7	24.84	1.7	19.00	-0.2
2005	19.16	2.1	21.18	6.0	14.99	0.1	19.91	0.6	24.34	10.1	25.23	0.7	21.88	-0.6	12.00	3.6	25.89	4.2	19.37	1.9
2006	19.68	2.7	21.43	1.2	15.75	5.1	20.75	4.2	25.04	2.9	25.54	1.2	22.40	2.4	11.82	-1.5	26.57	2.6	19.92	2.8
2007	20.11	2.2	21.96	2.5	16.15	2.5	21.01	1.3	25.26	0.9	25.94	1.6	22.53	0.6	12.37	4.7	27.21	2.4	20.48	2.8
2008	21.03	4.6	23.49	7.0	16.71	3.5	22.72	8.1	25.95	2.7	26.93	3.8	23.53	4.4	12.96	4.8	28.16	3.5	21.41	4.5
2009	21.73	3.3	23.36	-0.6	17.33	3.7	23.68	4.2	28.17	8.6	26.84	-0.3	24.25	3.1	12.99	0.2	29.94	6.3	22.17	3.5
2010	22.33	2.8	24.77	6.0	17.81	2.8	24.07	1.6	28.39	0.8	28.25	5.3	24.75	2.1	12.93	-0.5	30.73	2.6	22.78	2.8
2011	22.74	1.8	24.69	-0.3	18.00	1.1	24.44	1.5	28.92	1.9	28.73	1.7	25.37	2.5	13.29	2.8	32.11	4.5	23.17	1.7
2012	23.08	1.5	24.99	1.2	18.18	1.0	25.71	5.2	28.97	0.2	28.69	-0.1	25.65	1.1	14.24	7.1	31.47	-2.0	23.58	1.8
2012 Jan	23.32	3.3	24.77	1.9	18.11	1.4	26.11	8.6	29.91	2.7	29.13	1.9	26.10	2.8	14.02	10.2	31.83	-0.9	23.75	2.7
Feb	23.25	2.7	25.09	4.7	17.62	-2.3	26.69	7.3	30.11	6.0	28.51	-0.5	26.15	4.9	14.25	10.6	31.74	-0.6	23.77	2.6
Mar	23.18	2.6	25.24	6.2	16.95	-6.7	26.17	5.5	30.52	6.8	29.35	1.0	25.65	1.9	13.95	8.6	31.75	2.6	23.78	2.8
Apr	22.89	2.0	25.09	5.3	17.48	-0.8	25.02	3.3	29.97	4.0	28.08	-3.0	25.47	1.4	13.69	3.1	31.44	0.5	23.40	1.5
May	22.77	1.2	24.79	-2.3	17.78	0.9	25.10	4.8	28.18	0.1	28.51	-2.2	25.16	-0.4	13.98	5.2	31.36	-0.1	23.23	1.1
Jun	23.15	1.9	25.06	0.6	17.93	1.2	26.62	11.2	28.55	-3.9	28.55	-0.3	25.90	-0.4	14.22	8.8	31.27	-0.8	23.58	1.8
Jul	22.60	0.3	24.62	-2.2	18.36	3.9	25.92	9.8	27.56	-4.6	27.72	-2.8	25.50	-1.3	14.00	5.0	31.57	0.0	23.16	1.0
Aug	22.62	-0.1	23.97	-4.4	18.57	2.1	25.12	4.2	27.48	-5.3	28.32	-5.2	25.23	0.6	14.55	7.4	31.64	-0.5	23.13	0.7
Sep	23.20	0.7	24.15	-5.1	18.69	2.3	26.35	5.9	29.37	0.0	28.89	2.9	25.21	-0.4	14.54	4.5	31.65	-7.9	23.59	1.4
Oct	23.31	1.3	25.80	1.9	19.04	5.6	25.93	7.3	28.45	-3.4	28.34	0.4	25.46	-0.6	14.84	11.1	31.14	-5.3	23.80	1.9
Nov	23.24	0.7	25.64	6.4	18.67	2.1	25.08	-1.6	27.80	-2.5	29.65	4.7	25.87	1.7	14.37	3.1	30.33	-9.6	23.78	1.5
Dec	23.50	1.6	25.83	4.6	18.71	1.5	24.40	-3.0	30.14	4.3	28.97	-0.2	26.11	3.0	14.51	9.0	31.93	-1.1	24.03	2.2
2013 Jan	23.70	1.6	26.25	6.0	19.33	6.7	25.79	-1.2	30.74	2.8	29.39	0.9	25.93	-0.7	14.32	2.1	31.15	-2.1	24.28	2.2
Feb	23.80	2.4	27.45	9.4	19.05	8.1	24.66	-7.6	31.91	6.0	28.61	0.4	26.60	1.7	14.03	-1.5	31.20	-1.7	24.26	2.1
Mar	23.56	1.6	26.17	3.7	18.70	10.3	24.17	-7.6	31.70	3.9	29.03	-1.1	25.78	0.5	14.23	2.0	31.89	0.4	24.06	1.2
Apr	23.90	4.4	26.33	4.9	19.28	10.3	25.48	1.8	30.62	2.2	28.91	3.0	26.12	2.6	14.23	3.9	31.43	0.0	24.26	3.7
May	23.82	4.6	26.47	6.8	19.05	7.1	25.94	3.3	30.29	7.5	28.64	0.5	26.62	5.8	13.86	-0.9	31.75	1.2	24.17	4.0
Jun	23.41	1.1	27.17	8.4	18.35	2.3	25.07	-5.8	29.51	3.4	29.04	1.7	25.70	-0.8	13.65	-4.0	32.65	4.4	23.81	1.0
Jul	23.55	4.2	25.98	5.5	18.44	0.4	25.54	-1.5	31.40	13.9	29.18	5.3	26.48	3.8	13.78	-1.6	33.25	5.3	23.96	3.5
Aug	23.55	4.1	26.58	10.9	18.65	0.4	26.43	5.2	30.67	11.6	29.20	3.1	26.08	3.4	13.67	-6.0	33.09	4.6	24.02	3.8
Sep	23.76	2.4	25.24	4.5	18.12	-3.0	25.98	-1.4	31.88	8.5	28.67	-0.8	26.23	4.0	13.91	-4.3	33.59	6.1	24.19	2.5
Oct	23.87	2.4	25.12	-2.6	17.92	-5.9	25.77	-0.6	32.48	14.2	29.13	2.8	25.81	1.4	14.60	-1.6	33.73	8.3	24.39	2.5
Nov																				
Dec																				
Average:																				
Jan-Oct12	23.03		24.86		18.05		25.90		29.01		28.54		25.58		14.20		31.54		23.52	
Jan-Oct13	23.69		26.28		18.69		25.48		31.12		28.98		26.14		14.03		32.37		24.14	
% Change	2.9		5.7		3.5		-1.6		7.3		1.5		2.2		-1.2		2.6		2.6	

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3.4A B.C. INDUSTRIAL COMPARISON - EMPLOYMENT (Actual)

	All Goods Prod. Industries (incl. Utilities)		Agriculture		Forestry & Logging		Fishing Hunting & Trapping		Mining & Oil & Gas		Total Manufacturing		Selected Breakout of Manufacturing: Food and Beverage		Wood		Paper		Construction	
	('000)	% Chg	('000)	% Chg	('000)	% Chg	('000)	% Chg	('000)	% Chg	('000)	% Chg	('000)	% Chg	('000)	% Chg	('000)	% Chg	('000)	% Chg
2003	409.6		33.1		27.1		4.4		13.1		203.3		31.0		48.4		14.1		117.4	
2004	428.5	4.6	37.2	12.4	21.1	-22.1	2.9	-34.1	11.0	-16.0	206.0	1.3	30.8	-0.6	45.7	-5.6	11.8	-16.3	141.6	20.6
2005	444.1	3.6	39.0	4.8	21.3	0.9	2.1	-27.6	13.7	24.5	194.8	-5.4	30.9	0.3	45.1	-1.3	12.1	2.5	162.9	15.0
2006	453.8	2.2	35.0	-10.3	21.4	0.5	2.7	28.6	19.0	38.7	193.3	-0.8	23.8	-23.0	43.8	-2.9	15.0	24.0	174.0	6.8
2007	483.5	6.5	35.5	1.4	24.2	13.1	2.9	7.4	19.9	4.7	199.4	3.2	27.5	15.5	43.7	-0.2	15.0	0.0	192.1	10.4
2008	490.9	1.5	33.1	-6.8	17.3	-28.5	2.2	-24.1	25.4	27.6	184.8	-7.3	30.3	10.2	33.6	-23.1	13.1	-12.7	214.9	11.9
2009	438.8	-10.6	33.0	-0.3	13.9	-19.7	2.2	0.0	24.2	-4.7	160.8	-13.0	28.9	-4.6	26.8	-20.2	10.8	-17.6	192.7	-10.3
2010	442.7	0.9	31.8	-3.6	16.1	15.8	1.9	-13.6	22.7	-6.2	165.8	3.1	27.3	-5.5	28.7	7.1	9.8	-9.3	190.5	-1.1
2011	447.4	1.1	26.1	-17.9	14.0	-13.0	n.a.	n.a.	24.7	8.8	163.9	-1.1	30.3	11.0	30.1	4.9	9.2	-6.1	204.6	7.4
2012	459.1	2.6	26.0	-0.4	17.7	26.4	2.1	n.a.	26.2	6.1	179.2	9.3	31.8	5.0	26.7	-11.3	12.0	30.4	192.9	-5.7
2012 Jan	438.9	7.2	20.8	-16.1	12.6	16.7	n.a.	n.a.	27.0	6.3	172.2	7.8	32.7	11.6	29.1	-5.8	9.5	-7.8	192.9	10.2
Feb	440.4	3.7	19.8	-14.7	15.0	29.3	n.a.	n.a.	27.4	5.0	178.1	12.2	36.3	18.6	25.8	-18.1	8.5	-10.5	185.8	-2.0
Mar	444.7	1.4	22.4	-12.5	13.0	8.3	n.a.	n.a.	27.0	16.9	175.5	7.5	35.0	8.0	22.2	-23.7	8.7	-22.3	191.7	-2.2
Apr	467.1	3.6	27.0	-2.5	18.3	74.3	n.a.	n.a.	26.6	-4.3	189.0	14.1	39.4	34.9	25.9	-27.0	12.9	33.0	192.2	-4.9
May	463.8	0.4	24.3	-9.0	20.3	46.0	1.5	-28.6	22.8	-12.0	186.1	12.0	36.4	27.7	24.7	-24.0	12.2	37.1	194.7	-8.0
Jun	471.0	3.4	25.6	-5.5	18.0	5.9	2.2	n.a.	25.4	-3.8	194.5	23.3	37.4	28.1	27.1	-0.4	15.5	63.2	192.8	-8.4
Jul	476.7	4.7	27.3	-1.8	21.8	43.4	3.1	93.8	25.0	0.8	196.1	23.3	34.6	26.3	26.4	-3.3	13.8	36.6	189.5	-10.4
Aug	475.3	2.0	30.9	16.6	21.9	40.4	4.2	100.0	25.9	16.1	183.9	9.3	28.9	-15.5	29.7	2.4	15.7	93.8	193.3	-13.0
Sep	473.6	0.8	31.5	1.3	21.9	36.0	4.2	90.9	25.9	32.1	178.9	5.2	28.9	-10.0	29.7	-3.6	15.7	89.2	197.4	-11.0
Oct	451.7	1.9	29.7	17.9	16.9	11.2	2.4	n.a.	25.3	8.1	169.0	5.6	25.4	-4.5	28.3	-7.2	13.0	38.3	191.8	-7.9
Nov	455.7	1.8	26.9	21.2	19.1	17.2	2.8	n.a.	31.0	30.8	166.7	-0.5	25.1	-21.3	26.0	-9.4	12.2	79.4	191.9	-7.4
Dec	450.2	0.9	25.8	3.6	17.8	23.6	3.1	n.a.	26.9	-1.5	160.5	-5.7	26.6	-17.9	22.9	-20.5	7.6	-3.8	200.5	0.8
2013 Jan	432.9	-1.4	22.5	8.2	17.1	35.7	1.7	n.a.	26.1	-3.3	160.5	-6.8	25.7	-21.4	25.7	-11.7	10.2	7.4	191.3	-0.8
Feb	430.6	-2.2	26.8	35.4	15.3	2.0	2.2	n.a.	26.9	-1.8	154.0	-13.5	28.1	-22.6	26.9	4.3	7.6	-10.6	193.5	4.1
Mar	431.0	-3.1	25.8	15.2	15.5	19.2	2.4	n.a.	27.4	1.5	162.4	-7.5	30.4	-13.1	29.8	34.2	10.0	14.9	184.6	-3.7
Apr	431.2	-7.7	31.1	15.2	16.7	-8.7	1.9	n.a.	26.1	-1.9	160.8	-14.9	33.1	-16.0	27.8	7.3	7.7	-40.3	180.5	-6.1
May	446.7	-3.7	24.3	0.0	19.7	-3.0	n.a.	n.a.	30.5	33.8	165.2	-11.2	30.9	-15.1	28.5	15.4	11.7	-4.1	192.8	-1.0
Jun	453.0	-3.8	29.7	16.0	22.3	23.9	3.6	63.6	27.8	9.4	165.6	-14.9	32.0	-14.4	25.7	-5.2	11.8	-23.9	192.2	-0.3
Jul	470.0	-1.4	34.9	27.8	21.9	0.5	1.6	-48.4	28.9	15.6	166.8	-14.9	27.0	-22.0	29.8	12.9	16.3	18.1	203.0	7.1
Aug	464.4	-2.3	34.5	11.7	19.2	-12.3	1.8	-57.1	31.3	20.8	168.4	-8.4	28.3	-2.1	29.6	-0.3	13.7	-12.7	196.0	1.4
Sep	458.6	-3.2	28.7	-8.9	19.2	-12.3	1.7	-59.5	37.0	42.9	158.9	-11.2	26.2	-9.3	27.0	-9.1	11.0	-29.9	198.9	0.8
Oct	446.8	-1.1	25.3	-14.8	21.9	29.6	n.a.	n.a.	29.0	14.6	156.8	-7.2	24.8	-2.4	26.0	-8.1	12.1	-6.9	197.8	3.1
Nov																				
Dec																				
Average:																				
Jan-Oct12	460.3		25.9		18.0		n.a.		25.8		182.3		33.5		26.9		12.6		192.2	
Jan-Oct13	446.5		28.4		18.9		n.a.		29.1		161.9		28.7		27.7		11.2		193.1	
% Change	-3.0		9.4		5.1		n.a.		12.7		-11.2		-14.5		2.9		-10.7		0.4	

Monthly percent changes are calculated as month over same month previous year

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3.4B B.C. INDUSTRIAL COMPARISON - EMPLOYMENT (Actual)

	All Service Producing Industries		Transport. and Warehousing		Retail and Wholesale Trade		Finance & Related		Total Comm., & Personal Service		Selected Breakout of Comm. & Pers. Service						Public Administration		Total All Industries	
											Educational Services		Health Care & Social Assist.		Accommod. & Food Serv.					
	('000)	% Chg	('000)	% Chg	('000)	% Chg	('000)	% Chg	('000)	% Chg	('000)	% Chg	('000)	% Chg	('000)	% Chg	('000)	% Chg	('000)	% Chg
2003	1,588.3		116.6		325.6		125.5		925.2		136.7		213.5		158.3		95.3		1,998.0	
2004	1,604.3	1.0	116.5	-0.1	310.6	-4.6	129.2	2.9	949.9	2.7	132.4	-3.1	217.6	1.9	172.6	9.0	98.1	2.9	2,032.8	1.7
2005	1,647.8	2.7	119.2	2.3	326.4	5.1	131.7	1.9	976.7	2.8	142.8	7.9	211.5	-2.8	172.6	0.0	93.9	-4.3	2,091.9	2.9
2006	1,693.4	2.8	116.7	-2.1	343.2	5.1	132.6	0.7	1,011.0	3.5	152.4	6.7	229.5	8.5	167.8	-2.8	89.9	-4.3	2,147.2	2.6
2007	1,739.0	2.7	123.7	6.0	359.1	4.6	142.4	7.4	1,020.8	1.0	154.1	1.1	234.4	2.1	169.4	1.0	92.9	3.3	2,222.6	3.5
2008	1,775.6	2.1	123.9	0.2	349.0	-2.8	143.1	0.5	1,059.6	3.8	157.1	1.9	241.2	2.9	177.8	5.0	100.0	7.6	2,266.4	2.0
2009	1,779.1	0.2	112.8	-9.0	361.6	3.6	139.0	-2.9	1,060.3	0.1	161.3	2.7	256.5	6.3	169.9	-4.4	105.3	5.3	2,217.9	-2.1
2010	1,813.8	2.0	118.6	5.1	370.1	2.4	141.8	2.0	1,071.9	1.1	167.3	3.7	264.2	3.0	162.3	-4.5	111.4	5.8	2,256.5	1.7
2011	1,827.2	0.7	124.1	4.6	355.0	-4.1	139.4	-1.7	1,099.8	2.6	167.1	-0.1	261.3	-1.1	181.8	12.0	108.9	-2.2	2,274.7	0.8
2012	1,853.4	1.4	128.9	3.9	356.6	0.5	141.8	1.7	1,123.9	2.2	177.3	6.1	274.5	5.1	171.6	-5.6	102.4	-6.0	2,312.5	1.7
2012 Jan	1,813.5	0.4	129.4	8.7	348.0	-5.0	140.8	-3.3	1,100.6	3.3	177.1	0.4	275.1	5.9	166.4	-2.1	94.6	-14.5	2,252.4	1.6
Feb	1,830.4	1.5	123.7	2.9	356.9	1.7	142.7	-2.1	1,113.4	3.8	188.9	4.9	269.2	3.1	165.3	-1.7	93.8	-17.1	2,270.8	1.9
Mar	1,833.0	1.8	121.7	0.3	339.7	-4.4	143.8	1.0	1,127.7	5.5	175.3	-0.3	274.9	7.1	176.6	1.6	100.1	-10.9	2,277.7	1.7
Apr	1,836.9	1.8	127.5	5.5	343.6	0.2	142.1	-1.5	1,126.7	3.7	182.7	3.6	268.0	7.1	166.9	-11.6	96.9	-11.7	2,304.1	2.2
May	1,868.0	2.2	132.4	3.9	357.4	4.5	144.9	4.0	1,137.5	2.4	188.4	11.9	278.3	10.1	173.4	-8.7	95.8	-10.7	2,331.8	1.9
Jun	1,877.5	2.0	129.8	2.9	353.5	1.3	145.9	4.7	1,150.6	3.6	193.8	15.7	285.9	14.9	172.0	-11.1	97.6	-15.7	2,348.5	2.3
Jul	1,862.5	0.9	128.0	1.8	361.5	2.9	146.2	6.2	1,124.8	0.7	146.4	3.4	289.3	16.2	175.3	-13.1	102.1	-9.8	2,339.2	1.7
Aug	1,873.3	2.3	138.7	13.0	367.1	2.4	142.8	4.2	1,113.9	0.9	141.7	9.3	281.8	6.5	175.2	-7.9	110.7	1.6	2,348.6	2.2
Sep	1,864.6	1.6	137.1	7.0	363.0	1.4	132.2	-1.8	1,121.0	0.6	174.6	6.5	277.8	4.7	171.9	-5.1	111.3	11.2	2,338.2	1.5
Oct	1,874.3	1.1	133.2	7.2	358.4	-1.0	142.5	3.5	1,129.8	0.6	178.4	0.3	271.0	-1.3	172.7	-1.3	110.4	1.8	2,326.0	1.2
Nov	1,856.0	0.9	128.2	0.9	360.9	0.1	142.4	3.9	1,119.3	0.7	184.5	3.9	262.1	-4.8	169.2	-2.5	105.1	1.1	2,311.7	1.1
Dec	1,850.9	0.7	117.1	-7.1	368.8	1.7	135.6	2.1	1,119.0	0.5	196.0	15.4	260.1	-6.2	174.2	-0.9	110.3	6.5	2,301.1	0.7
2013 Jan	1,826.7	0.7	115.5	-10.7	360.2	3.5	138.2	-1.8	1,103.3	0.2	184.1	4.0	248.9	-9.5	174.6	4.9	109.6	15.9	2,259.5	0.3
Feb	1,855.9	1.4	116.7	-5.7	363.9	2.0	143.7	0.7	1,115.1	0.2	192.4	1.9	251.9	-6.4	182.4	10.3	116.4	24.1	2,286.5	0.7
Mar	1,846.3	0.7	114.7	-5.8	375.2	10.5	139.6	-2.9	1,098.1	-2.6	182.0	3.8	248.3	-9.7	173.8	-1.6	118.7	18.6	2,277.3	0.0
Apr	1,866.9	1.6	115.4	-9.5	364.3	6.0	155.0	9.1	1,111.3	-1.4	188.0	2.9	259.0	-3.4	166.1	-0.5	120.8	24.7	2,298.1	-0.3
May	1,878.8	0.6	115.9	-12.5	376.4	5.3	157.1	8.4	1,106.2	-2.8	186.3	-1.1	256.9	-7.7	172.3	-0.6	123.1	28.5	2,325.4	-0.3
Jun	1,892.5	0.8	117.8	-9.2	389.1	10.1	158.9	8.9	1,113.7	-3.2	180.3	-7.0	266.6	-6.8	173.1	0.6	113.0	15.8	2,345.5	-0.1
Jul	1,864.1	0.1	121.8	-4.8	376.9	4.3	163.2	11.6	1,091.9	-2.9	139.0	-5.1	268.5	-7.2	174.7	-0.3	110.4	8.1	2,334.1	-0.2
Aug	1,877.1	0.2	125.6	-9.4	381.2	3.8	159.9	12.0	1,101.0	-1.2	137.7	-2.8	266.8	-5.3	188.5	7.6	109.4	-1.2	2,341.4	-0.3
Sep	1,861.8	-0.2	130.5	-4.8	370.0	1.9	165.4	25.1	1,089.0	-2.9	172.4	-1.3	260.9	-6.1	162.5	-5.5	106.9	-4.0	2,320.4	-0.8
Oct	1,864.2	-0.5	127.6	-4.2	364.8	1.8	156.8	10.0	1,107.2	-2.0	190.1	6.6	274.5	1.3	166.5	-3.6	107.8	-2.4	2,311.0	-0.6
Nov																				
Dec																				
Average:																				
Jan-Oct12	1,853.4		130.2		354.9		142.4		1,124.6		174.7		277.1		171.6		101.3		2,313.7	
Jan-Oct13	1,863.4		120.2		372.2		153.8		1,103.7		175.2		260.2		173.5		113.6		2,309.9	
% Change	0.5		-7.7		4.9		8.0		-1.9		0.3		-6.1		1.1		12.1		-0.2	

Monthly percent changes are calculated as month over same month previous year

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Source: Statistics Canada Labour Force Survey

3.5A B.C. INDUSTRIAL COMPARISON - AVERAGE WEEKLY HOURS WORKED*

	All Goods Producing Industries		Agriculture		Forestry, Fishing, Mining, Quarrying, Oil & Gas		Utilities		Manufacturing		Construction	
	Hrs	% Chg	Hrs	% Chg	Hrs	% Chg	Hrs	% Chg	Hrs	% Chg	Hrs	% Chg
2003	35.6		36.4		37.9		34.3		35.6		34.6	
2004	36.3	2.0	36.8	1.1	39.4	4.0	31.8	-7.3	36.0	1.1	36.2	4.6
2005	36.7	1.1	37.2	1.1	40.6	3.0	35.7	12.3	36.4	1.1	36.2	0.0
2006	36.5	-0.5	35.5	-4.6	40.3	-0.7	36.6	2.5	36.3	-0.3	35.9	-0.8
2007	37.0	1.4	36.3	2.3	40.5	0.5	35.3	-3.6	36.6	0.8	36.8	2.5
2008	36.2	-2.2	37.3	2.8	40.2	-0.7	33.2	-5.9	35.9	-1.9	35.6	-3.3
2009	35.2	-2.8	37.9	1.6	39.6	-1.5	35.9	8.1	35.0	-2.5	34.0	-4.5
2010	36.9	4.8	37.3	-1.6	42.5	7.3	38.5	7.2	36.7	4.9	35.6	4.7
2011	36.3	-1.6	36.2	-2.9	41.9	-1.4	37.6	-2.3	35.6	-3.0	35.7	0.3
2012	36.4	0.3	34.1	-5.8	41.1	-1.9	34.6	-8.0	36.4	2.2	35.8	0.3
2012 Jan	35.5	-2.2	31.3	4.0	40.5	-3.6	38.3	-1.5	36.6	-2.1	33.7	-3.2
Feb	36.6	2.2	34.2	7.2	40.2	-5.0	35.6	9.9	36.4	2.5	36.2	2.3
Mar	35.4	-3.0	30.0	-13.0	36.7	-15.8	32.3	-7.7	35.3	-2.2	36.0	0.0
Apr	37.4	1.4	34.9	-2.2	40.8	-5.1	37.2	-1.1	38.4	6.4	35.9	-1.6
May	37.0	0.0	34.4	-1.7	39.4	-6.9	31.8	-16.1	37.6	0.3	36.7	2.5
Jun	38.5	2.4	34.2	-8.1	42.3	1.2	37.7	-5.5	38.1	3.0	38.6	4.3
Jul	36.6	-1.6	36.7	-9.2	42.1	-5.0	38.3	-10.7	35.8	-0.8	35.9	0.6
Aug	35.8	1.1	35.0	-14.4	43.0	5.7	30.0	-18.5	34.5	2.1	35.6	2.0
Sep	37.4	-1.8	35.2	-17.6	43.3	4.8	35.9	-16.3	36.8	1.1	36.9	-2.9
Oct	33.1	-4.6	34.5	-7.0	39.6	1.5	30.1	-6.8	32.5	-2.7	32.1	-7.5
Nov	36.7	11.6	31.8	-8.1	40.9	0.7	33.4	0.6	37.1	17.0	36.0	12.1
Dec	37.3	0.8	34.9	9.1	42.8	0.7	35.0	-15.3	37.5	2.7	36.4	-0.5
2013 Jan	36.8	3.7	31.5	0.6	38.4	-5.2	34.5	-9.9	39.0	6.6	35.3	4.7
Feb	35.1	-4.1	28.9	-15.5	39.9	-0.7	33.5	-5.9	35.4	-2.7	34.8	-3.9
Mar	35.8	1.1	33.3	11.0	41.3	12.5	35.1	8.7	35.5	0.6	35.2	-2.2
Apr	36.8	-1.6	33.7	-3.4	39.9	-2.2	36.8	-1.1	36.4	-5.2	36.8	2.5
May	36.8	-0.5	37.4	8.7	40.6	3.0	35.8	12.6	35.9	-4.5	36.5	-0.5
Jun	38.8	0.8	37.5	9.6	49.0	15.8	34.4	-8.8	36.6	-3.9	38.3	-0.8
Jul	37.1	1.4	36.3	-1.1	43.8	4.0	42.6	11.2	34.6	-3.4	37.1	3.3
Aug	36.5	2.0	41.0	17.1	43.0	0.0	32.9	9.7	33.5	-2.9	36.7	3.1
Sep	37.1	-0.8	36.4	3.4	40.5	-6.5	38.3	6.7	36.0	-2.2	36.9	0.0
Oct	32.6	-1.5	38.1	10.4	37.1	-6.3	29.0	-3.7	31.8	-2.2	31.5	-1.9
Nov												
Dec												
Average:												
Jan-Oct12	36.3		34.0		40.8		34.7		36.2		35.8	
Jan-Oct13	36.3		35.4		41.4		35.3		35.5		35.9	
% Change	0.0		4.0		1.4		1.6		-2.0		0.4	

* Average Actual Hours, All Workers, Main Job / Monthly percent changes are calculated as month over same month previous year

Prepared by: BC Stats ***Source: Statistics Canada Labour Force Survey***

3.5B **B.C. INDUSTRIAL COMPARISON - AVERAGE WEEKLY HOURS WORKED***

	All Service Producing Industries		Transport. and Warehousing		Retail and Wholesale Trade		Finance & Related		Selected Breakout of Community & Personal Service								Public Administration		Total All Industries	
									Profess., Scient. & Tech Services		Educational Services		Health Care & Social Assist.		Accommod. & Food Serv.					
	Hrs	% Chg	Hrs	% Chg	Hrs	% Chg	Hrs	% Chg	Hrs	% Chg	Hrs	% Chg	Hrs	% Chg	Hrs	% Chg	Hrs	% Chg	Hrs	% Chg
2003	30.8		35.8		30.9		32.2		34.2		28.1		28.0		28.9		32.2		31.8	
2004	31.2	1.3	36.5	2.0	31.1	0.6	32.2	0.0	35.3	3.2	26.8	-4.6	29.0	3.6	29.3	1.4	32.3	0.3	32.3	1.6
2005	31.5	1.0	36.5	0.0	31.0	-0.3	32.9	2.2	35.0	-0.8	28.4	6.0	29.9	3.1	29.4	0.3	32.6	0.9	32.6	0.9
2006	31.5	0.0	37.0	1.4	31.4	1.3	32.1	-2.4	34.4	-1.7	28.0	-1.4	30.0	0.3	29.1	-1.0	32.8	0.6	32.5	-0.3
2007	31.7	0.6	37.2	0.5	32.0	1.9	32.6	1.6	34.9	1.5	28.4	1.4	29.1	-3.0	28.8	-1.0	32.7	-0.3	32.9	1.2
2008	31.3	-1.3	35.8	-3.8	31.1	-2.8	32.2	-1.2	34.3	-1.7	29.3	3.2	29.3	0.7	28.1	-2.4	32.6	-0.3	32.3	-1.8
2009	30.4	-2.9	34.9	-2.5	30.4	-2.3	32.3	0.3	33.2	-3.2	26.2	-10.6	28.4	-3.1	27.6	-1.8	33.2	1.8	31.3	-3.1
2010	30.6	0.7	35.5	1.7	30.5	0.3	32.0	-0.9	33.7	1.5	27.7	5.7	28.6	0.7	27.5	-0.4	33.4	0.6	31.8	1.6
2011	30.5	-0.3	34.6	-2.5	30.6	0.3	31.3	-2.2	32.9	-2.4	28.6	3.2	28.6	0.0	27.2	-1.1	32.5	-2.7	31.6	-0.6
2012	30.9	1.3	35.4	2.3	30.9	1.0	33.0	5.4	34.0	3.3	29.1	1.7	29.0	1.4	27.8	2.2	32.3	-0.6	32.0	1.3
2012 Jan	31.3	1.3	36.6	1.9	30.1	-1.3	34.8	5.1	34.9	3.6	32.2	0.0	29.9	2.4	25.9	-3.4	32.6	-1.5	32.1	0.6
Feb	31.5	1.9	36.5	5.5	30.4	-0.3	36.3	15.2	35.2	-1.7	31.9	3.2	29.0	1.8	25.4	-1.9	33.3	-0.9	32.5	2.2
Mar	29.6	-3.9	34.8	3.0	29.6	-5.7	33.3	4.1	33.1	-6.8	22.1	-14.3	28.0	-1.1	27.3	3.0	31.3	-8.5	30.7	-3.8
Apr	31.1	-0.3	35.1	0.9	30.5	-1.6	34.1	10.0	33.9	-3.7	32.9	4.1	28.6	-0.7	26.7	-1.8	32.8	0.6	32.4	0.3
May	31.3	-0.6	34.9	-4.4	30.6	-2.2	33.9	7.6	34.2	1.8	31.5	-3.4	28.5	-4.0	29.8	4.9	33.1	4.4	32.5	-0.3
Jun	32.6	3.5	36.2	7.7	32.3	5.9	34.1	4.0	35.6	7.2	33.2	0.9	30.4	1.3	29.3	3.9	35.0	3.9	33.8	3.4
Jul	30.5	3.0	36.2	4.6	31.4	1.3	33.0	15.0	33.9	9.0	20.4	2.0	28.4	-1.0	29.9	4.9	32.1	6.6	31.7	1.9
Aug	29.3	-1.3	35.8	8.2	31.7	2.6	30.2	0.0	31.2	-2.2	18.1	13.1	27.3	-2.5	27.8	-5.4	29.4	-9.5	30.6	-0.6
Sep	32.2	3.5	36.6	3.4	31.4	3.0	34.1	9.3	35.8	6.9	32.6	5.5	30.6	5.5	28.3	4.0	33.4	-0.6	33.3	2.1
Oct	28.5	0.4	31.4	-5.4	29.3	4.3	27.8	-5.8	29.4	-2.0	27.3	3.8	27.4	0.7	27.4	6.2	28.2	-7.5	29.4	-0.7
Nov	31.5	10.5	34.7	2.1	31.7	8.9	32.6	8.3	35.5	23.3	31.4	15.4	30.0	11.9	27.7	6.9	33.5	10.2	32.5	10.5
Dec	31.5	-0.6	35.4	-2.5	31.4	-2.8	31.8	-5.9	35.6	5.3	31.0	-3.7	29.9	0.7	27.9	6.1	33.5	-1.5	32.7	0.0
2013 Jan	31.9	1.9	36.4	-0.5	32.2	7.0	31.8	-8.6	35.2	0.9	31.2	-3.1	29.8	-0.3	28.0	8.1	34.2	4.9	32.9	2.5
Feb	30.8	-2.2	34.6	-5.2	31.0	2.0	31.1	-14.3	35.1	-0.3	28.9	-9.4	28.1	-3.1	26.7	5.1	32.1	-3.6	31.6	-2.8
Mar	31.6	6.8	36.5	4.9	31.9	7.8	33.5	0.6	35.7	7.9	28.9	30.8	28.8	2.9	28.4	4.0	33.1	5.8	32.4	5.5
Apr	32.1	3.2	36.3	3.4	32.4	6.2	33.5	-1.8	36.6	8.0	30.4	-7.6	29.8	4.2	27.7	3.7	32.1	-2.1	33.0	1.9
May	31.5	0.6	34.8	-0.3	33.3	8.8	33.7	-0.6	33.6	-1.8	29.6	-6.0	29.5	3.5	26.8	-10.1	31.1	-6.0	32.5	0.0
Jun	32.6	0.0	35.7	-1.4	32.5	0.6	35.4	3.8	36.2	1.7	32.2	-3.0	30.4	0.0	28.5	-2.7	34.3	-2.0	33.8	0.0
Jul	30.5	0.0	35.2	-2.8	31.4	0.0	34.7	5.2	33.8	-0.3	20.0	-2.0	27.4	-3.5	29.1	-2.7	31.4	-2.2	31.8	0.3
Aug	29.7	1.4	34.0	-5.0	32.1	1.3	33.1	9.6	33.0	5.8	16.8	-7.2	27.7	1.5	28.6	2.9	29.3	-0.3	31.0	1.3
Sep	31.8	-1.2	35.9	-1.9	31.0	-1.3	33.0	-3.2	34.6	-3.4	32.9	0.9	31.1	1.6	29.2	3.2	33.6	0.6	32.9	-1.2
Oct	28.5	0.0	34.0	8.3	28.8	-1.7	29.7	6.8	30.0	2.0	28.1	2.9	27.1	-1.1	26.9	-1.8	29.2	3.5	29.3	-0.3
Nov																				
Dec																				
Average:																				
Jan-Oct12	30.8		35.4		30.7		33.2		33.7		28.2		28.8		27.8		32.1		31.9	
Jan-Oct13	31.1		35.3		31.7		33.0		34.4		27.9		29.0		28.0		32.0		32.1	
% Change	1.0		-0.2		3.0		-0.6		2.0		-1.1		0.6		0.8		-0.2		0.7	

* Average Actual Hours, All Workers, Main Job / Monthly percent changes are calculated as month over same month previous year

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B.C. EARNINGS AND EMPLOYMENT TRENDS

This is a monthly report designed to assist analysts monitoring changes in inter-provincial and inter-industrial earnings and employment levels. The report provides figures on persons employed and actual dollars earned. Primary emphasis, however, is placed on the 'percentage change' data to help highlight recent trends and/or structural shifts. Questions or comments should be directed to Ian Darling at 250-387-0684 or Ian.Darling@gov.bc.ca.

Definitions and Explanatory Notes

Average Hourly Wage Rate & Average Weekly Wage Rate

Beginning January 1997, information is collected on the usual wages or salary of employees at their main job. Respondents are asked to report their wage/salary before taxes and other deductions, and include tips, commissions and bonuses.

Average Weekly Hours Worked

Average actual number of hours worked per week, main job, is calculated by dividing total hours by the total number of employed persons. When a respondent holds more than one job or business, the job or business involving the greatest number of usual hours worked is considered to be the main job.

Constant Dollar or Real (after inflation) Average Weekly Wage Rate

Average weekly wage rates, as defined above, minus the rate of inflation as measured by the applicable B.C. or Canada consumer price index.

Employment (derived from Labour Force Survey, Cat No. 71-001) (Actual)

All persons during the reference week who either a) did any work for pay or profit, or b) had a job but were absent because of illness, weather, vacation, labour disputes, or personal or family responsibility.

Employment by Industry

Employment by industry is based on the North American Industrial Classification System (NAICS).